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LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 80 deg.; minimum, 41 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., calm; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 8 miles. At midnight the temperature was 51 deg.; clear.

TODAY: At 5 a.m. the temperature was 47 deg.; clear.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Clearing; light northerly winds; possibly light frost; warmer tonight.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair; light north winds; possibly light frost.

[The complete Weather Report, including Comparative Temperatures, will be found on page 8.]

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RUSSIANS PREPARED TO MAKE A STAND.

Fifty Thousand Men Massed North of the Yalu River.

Serious Events Evidently Taking Place on Liao Tung Peninsula—Battle Again Reported Raging at Port Arthur—Anticipated Flank Movement of Japs Believed to be in Progress.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOKIO, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] All accounts indicate that the Russians are prepared to make a determined stand on the Yalu where 50,000 men are massed on the line from Chiutiencheng to Tatungkau.

SERIOUS EVENTS IN PROGRESS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

YINKOW, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Evidently serious events are happening on Liao Tung peninsula. A fresh battle is raging around Port Arthur.

FIGHTING PROBABLY BEGUN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHEFOO, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fighting probably has begun in Southern Manchuria, either at the Liao Yang River or in the valley of Tayang, twenty miles west. News that comes here tonight is a day and a half old, being by boat from the Talu islands, but it confirms in every detail the news cabled from this point last Sunday in relation to Japanese transports that were north of the Tuiwhada Islands, near Taku Shan Bay. On Monday afternoon seven Japanese cruisers with two torpedo flotillas were escorting a fleet of transports northwest, evidently bound for Taku Shan Bay, at the mouth of the Tayang River, or for Ching Thaitsu, which has a big bay at the mouth of the Liao Yang.

COSSACK RAIDERS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEOUL, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Japanese consul at Wonsan, on the eastern coast of Korea, confirms the news of Sunday that a strong detachment of Cossacks has moved down from the Vladivostok valley and, crossing the northern Tumen River, has invaded unprotected settlements as far south as Kilju, and perhaps half way to Port Lazareff. There is a direct wire from that point to this point and the consul reports that on last Saturday the only Japanese left in the village of Chongjin, on the eastern coast, was a Buddhist priest.

JAPANESE BRIDGEBLOWERS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HARBIN, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two high Japanese officers, disguised as Mongolians, with dynamite in their possession have been captured near Tsitsihar where there is a very large railway bridge. They still await judgment. The bridge which was destroyed between Tsitsihar and the Manchurian line was quite small and unimportant. It was repaired after a delay of only a few hours. The destruction of this bridge was probably the work of another small party of Japanese. But these enterprises have no military importance and are significant only as indicating the facility with which the Japanese can make long journeys through China and Mongolia, apparently without arousing the suspicion of the Chinese authorities.

ALL IS QUIET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 20—The General Staff has issued the followihg statement:

"According to official reports all has been quiet at Port Arthur and Yenkow and on the Yalu River during the last few days. There is no further change in the general situation to report."

KOUROPATKIN'S REPORT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 20.—General Kouropatkin has sent the following telegram to the Emperor:

"General Kashtalinsky reports as follows on April 19: 'All is quiet on the Yalu. The Japanese are throwing up intrenchments opposite Golutsky and further to the north. The numbers of Japanese troops are increasing. They are concentrating at Wiju and spreading toward the north along the Yalu.

"'Cossack sentinels have observed the lights of Japanese transports near Ching Tai Tse, opposite the village of Potansa, 25 versts west of Tatung Kau. The vessels were anchored at a distance of fifty versts from the shore.'

"According to dispatches from Gen. Mistchenko, Japanese ships were also seen near Sou Chou."

PROBABLE FLANK MOVEMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 20.—What may turn out to be the anticipated flank movement of the Japanese troops is the appearance of a number of Japanese ships off Potinsa, near the Gulf of Chin Tai Tse, as reported to the Emperor today by Gen. Kuropatkin. Military experts here have long regarded that vicinity as the probable point of disembarkation of the second Japanese expedition. It is not far away from Taku Shan, twelve miles to the east, and connected by road with Port Arthur, 150 miles to the southwest, and Feng Huan Cheng, fifty miles to the northwest, where the Russians will make their first obstinate resistance.

Though the Japanese are building entrenchments on the Yalu it is believed that they will advance soon. The arrangements for a turning movement are complete and experts say that such a move could properly begin at Taku Shan, as Feng Huan Cheng lies at the angle of an equilateral triangle, with Taku Shan and the mouth of the Yalu at angles at the base of the triangle. The Japanese embarkation will undoubtedly be covered by a warship and the Russians recognize that it will be impossible to prevent it.

"We will strike after they have landed," grimly said a member of the general staff.

Gen. Kouropatkin is aware of the strategic importance of the vicinity of Taku Shan, and it is understood that he has made arrangements accordingly.

RETIREMENT OF ALEXIEFF.

PORTENDS ENTIRE CHANGE IN CONDUCT OF WAR.

The Viceroy Blamed for Leading Russia Into a Conflict for Which it Was Unprepared—Czar's Displeasure Shown by Preforment of Kouropatkin and Makaroff.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Japanese legation here is greatly interested in the announcement of Viceroy Alexieff's resignation. It portends an entire change, not only in the conduct of the war, but also in the administration of international affairs in Russia proper. Among the possibilities of the crisis which the admiral has precipitated by his resignation, is the return to power of M. Witte, former Minister of Finance and adviser in camera to the Czar and the strong opponent of the Alexieff-Bezobrazoff Manchurian policy.

Not a little of the responsibility of the war rests with Admiral Alexieff and Secretary of State Bezobrazoff. It was under their advice that the Czar abandoned his original purpose of evacuating Manchuria and refused to carry out the provisions of the treaty calling for this evacuation. The negotiations with Japan concerning the provisions of this treaty were conducted by the admiral in person, and it is now charged that he entirely misjudged the temper of the Japanese and forced his country into war for which it was wholly unprepared.

The naval disasters sustained by Russia since the begining of hostilities are also laid at the door of the retiring viceroy. It is claimed by the conservative party in Russia that Alexieff, as an admiral, should have been fully cognizant of the naval inferiority of Russia, and that as a tactician, he should have guarded against the weakening of his fleet by division, and concentrated his entire naval force at Port Arthur. The anti-Alexieff party at St. Petersburg even assert that the first reverses at Port Arthur were due to lax discipline and inadequate preparation, and lay the blame for the existence of such conditions upon Alexieff himself.

The star of the Viceroy began to wane when the Czar, by special ukase, gave to Vice-Admiral Makaroff free and absolute command of the naval force at Port Arthur, thus rendering him independent of his hierarchical chief, Admiral Alexieff. Shorn of supreme authority on the sea, the Viceroy moved from Port Arthur and established headquarters at Harbin, displaying his activity in moving army corps up and down the north bank of the Yalu. The conservatives in St. Petersburg were bestirring themselves, however, and soon active command of the land forces was taken away from the Viceroy and given to Gen. Kouropatkin. It could not be lost upon Alexieff that his second appointment of a man known as the advocate of the De Witte-Lamsdorf policy of Manchurian evacuation meant a retrograde movement on the part of the Czar from the militant position taken by him earlier at the suggestion of himself and M. Bezobrazoff. Nothing but the civil administration of Asiatic Russia was left to the Viceroy, and as in time of war there is very little civil administering to do, Alexieff found himself in the anomalous position of being simply an official clothed with gold lace in plenty, but with very little authority.

The last blow to the power and dignity of the Admiral came when the Czar appointed Skrydloff in command of the fleet to succeed Makaroff.

REVERSAL OF POLICY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 20.—The announcement from St. Petersburg of the Associated Press of the withdrawal of Alexieff from the direction of affairs in the Far East, together with the lucid and interesting story of the rise and fall of the radical element in Russia headed by Alexieff and Bezobrazoff, was received with intense interest in official circles here. The change just indicated is believed to portend a complete reversal of Russian policy in Manchuria, and it is thought that, could Russia save her face and pride before the civilized world by scoring a decisive victory on land, the way would speedily be opened for peace negotiations on the broad basis of the last Japanese proposal, just before the outbreak of the war.

The restoration to power and influence of M. Witte, the deposed Rus-

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POLITICAL.

GETTING TOGETHER.

Democrats Talking Harmony.

Tammany Will Work for the Nomination of Judge Parker, Perhaps.

Clark Howell Considers the Nomination and Platform Already Made.

Bryan Hires Hall in Chicago to Read Himself Out of the Party.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "We are not opposing any candidate. We are the boys with the votes and the money. We can say to Mr. Hill, or to Mr. Anybody else, 'Do you want us?'"

That is the way that State Senator George W. Plunkitt today described the present situation in the Democratic party in the State.

"We have never said one unkind word about Judge Parker," the Senator continued. "We are not opposing him; we are not opposing any man. We want to win the election, and in the national convention we want to do what is best for the party. Tammany will loyally support the nominee of the St. Louis convention. Our position is not changed by the action of the State convention. Tammany considered it better policy to adopt the unit rule and not instruct the delegation. That is what we fought for and we still think that we were right."

The Sun will say tomorrow: "This statement was made last night (Wednesday) by one of Mr. Murphy's lieutenants, and it may be accepted as outlining the plan and policy of the Tammany leader.

"'When we reach the national convention, if it is apparent that Judge Parker is first choice of the majority of the delegates, and I declare that he can be nominated without friction, the Tammany delegates will work and vote for his nomination as loyally as the delegates from any other section of the State or country.'"

The Tammany policy for the present is to say little and do nothing. Some of the Tammany leaders today expressed themselves as well pleased with the action of the Democratic State convention of Pennsylvania, which met yesterday and adopted the unit rule, but did not instruct the delegates to the national convention. This action by the second largest State in point of number of delegates, Tammany regards as a hard blow for the Parker boom.

CONSIDERS IT SETTLED.
CLARK HOWELL'S OPINION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ATLANTA (Ga.) April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Clark Howell, editor of the Atlanta Constitution and member of the National Committee from Georgia, said today:

"The action of New York ought to settle the Presidential nomination, and I believe it will. It seems to me that the Democrats the country over ought now to concede that there is no further justification for party division. One after another, States now to act will declare for Parker. It is the duty of Democrats everywhere to get together, and New York has pointed the way, both as to the candidate and the platform. After that State has spoken so emphatically in favor of the candidacy of another man, it is the duty of Mr. Hearst's friends there and elsewhere to join in the general effort to bring about party peace and to establish a state of affairs which will enable the party to present a solid front against the Republican forces.

"Of course, there is no alternative now but the conclusion that the nomination of Hearst is an impossibility, while that of Judge Parker is practically assured. In Judge Parker, New York has presented to the Democracy of the country a candidate on whom the national Democracy can unite with the assurance that if elected he will make a President of whom not only the party but the country will be proud. The Democracy of Georgia is a unit in the opinion that New York State's action means the nomination of Judge Parker at St. Louis."

MICHIGAN DEMOCRATS.
MAY INSTRUCT FOR PARKER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DETROIT (Mich.) April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Leading Democrats are unwilling to give any opinion as to the effect of the action of the convention in New York. R. J. Campau, member of the National Committee, took part in the Albany convention on Parker's side. The activity

by Hearst's supporters seems to have waned lately. The effect that Campau has been able to swing things as he wished in Michigan conventions for years, would indicate that the delegation from this State probably will be instructed for Parker, certainly not for Hearst or any other man.

This year Campau has a strong following in Detroit and Wayne county, and Chairman Monaghan of the County Committee, and his friends are strongly for Parker. Wayne's vote numbers one-fifth of the whole convention.

BRYAN HIRES A HALL.

WILL SPOUT IN CHICAGO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LINCOLN (Neb.) April 20.—William J. Bryan announces that he will deliver a political address at the Princess Rink in Chicago, Saturday night, on the "New York Platform." There will be reserved seats for newspaper men, otherwise admission will be free. Mr. Bryan says he will pay the hall rent and all expenses. This will be his declaration as to platform and Presidential candidates.

BRYAN MEN SCARED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LINCOLN (Neb.) April 20.—The Loyal League, composed of the most prominent Bryan Democrats of the State, today issued a warning to the faithful in Nebraska, calling attention to the strong fight which the reorganizers are putting up. The appeal shows that the Bryan men now recognize their danger and are badly frightened.

NEVADA FUSIONISTS.

NAME ST. LOUIS DELEGATES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

RENO (Nev.) April 20.—The State Central Committees of the Democratic and Silver parties, in joint meeting, have elected delegates to the National Democratic Convention at St. Louis. It was decided not to hold a convention to choose delegates, and the following were unanimously elected: J. R. Ryan, George B. Russell, Peter Weber, James G. Sweeney Francis, G. Newlands, Reinhold Sadler and W. E. Sharon.

VERMONT REPUBLICANS.

INSTRUCT FOR ROOSEVELT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BURLINGTON (Vt.) April 20.—The Republican State convention to choose delegates at large to the national convention met today. The platform adopted says:

"We recognize in our nation's Chief Executive an eminent exponent of Republican principles, and the delegates to the Republican National Convention elected this day will unquestionably voice the earnest desire of the Republicans of Vermont by supporting for the party's Presidential nomination Theodore Roosevelt."

Senator W. P. Dillingham, H. Turner, Dr. W. Seward Webb, and H. S. Bingham were named delegates at large to the national convention.

FOR GORMAN FIRST.

WEST VIRGINIA DEMOCRATS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHARLESTON (W. Va.) April 20.—The Democratic State Convention held here today was very largely attended and was marked by stormy scenes, in which delegates passed the lie and threatened each other with personal violence. Notwithstanding the expressions of bitter feeling, however, the convention closed in apparent harmony and all the delegates-at-large to the national convention were chosen by acclamation, and the platform was adopted unanimously. While no instructions were given, it is known that all but four delegates from the Fourth and Fifth Congress districts, favor Gorman for President, with Parker a second choice.

During a recess of the convention the five district conventions met at different points in the city to name delegates and alternates. What are known as the conservatives won in the First, Second and Third districts, and William R. Hearst in the Fourth District. The delegates from the Fifth District are non-committal.

The delegates-at-large are O. S. McKinney, former Senator Henry G. Davis, former Gov. William A. McCorkle and former Senator Johnson M. Caldon.

The resolutions "condemn the usurpation of legislative power by the President," "condemn the spirit of military domination which has led to the disregard of our treaty obligations and to the oppression of weaker people," oppose trusts and combinations and demand reasonable revision of the tariff."

Judge Dent of Grafton was named to succeed himself on the Supreme Court Bench. C. Wood Dailey of Elkins, the temporary chairman, said in his speech:

"I followed the party willingly in the campaigns of 1896 and 1900 and supported its candidates. Yet, in the face of the issues now involved, as I believe, in the approaching campaign, I can with complete and entire satisfaction and gratification clasp hands and even lock arms with the Democrats who refused to do as I did in those campaigns. For then the issues upon which we differed were not, in my opinion, of the essential, inherent principles of Democracy, but were largely questions of governmental expediency or policy, and they are not now live issues for consideration and action, owing to the changed conditions brought about through the blessings and bounties of a kind providence.

"The special duty of the Democracy of this State, after its representatives have acted at our national gathering, is to see that the State's electoral vote is given to the Democratic candidate who shall be nominated at St. Louis."

Congress Campaign Committee.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—The Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee tonight elected Charles Edwards, secretary. A motion was made preliminary to this action by Representative Claude Kitchen of North Carolina, to have a member of Congress for secretary. This motion received a vote of 16 to 14. The old officers were then elected unanimously, including Secretary Edward E. J. Pearcy; assistant secretary, James T. Norris; treasurer, J. J. Sinnott; J. J. Marmaduke, sergeant-at-arms. Chairman Cowherd was authorized to name Executive, Finance and Literature Committees and also was made ex-officio chairman of a sub-committee to fill all vacancies of the committee.

Georgia State Primaries.

ATLANTA (Ga.) April 20.—Returns from every section of the State in today's Democratic primary assure the overwhelming reelection of Chief Justice Thomas J. Simmons of the Supreme Court, over his opponent, Judge Richard B. Russell, and the reelection of Chairman Joseph Turner of the State Prison Commission, over Judson M. Strickland, along with the rest of the entire State ticket, headed by Gov. Joseph M. Terrill, which went through unopposed. Georgia's present delegation in Congress will remain unchanged, with the exception of the Seventh District, where Gordon Lee will succeed Representative Maddox, and the Ninth, where M. Bellover has defeated Representative Tate.

Hawaii for Roosevelt.

HONOLULU, April 19.—The Republican Territorial convention has instructed for President Roosevelt. Gov. Carter and Jonah K. Kalanianaole, delegate to Congress, are among the delegates selected, and R. W. Breckons, United States District Attorney, is an alternate.

DEATH IN AVALANCHE.

About One Hundred Miners Buried Alive in Italy, and List is Added to by Swiss Slides.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TURIN (Italy) April 20.—About one hundred miners have been buried by an immense avalanche near the village of Pragelato. A violent storm is sweeping over that locality and it is feared that other avalanches may result. The whole population of the village and a detachment of forty soldiers have gone to the scene of the disaster.

TWENTY SWISS BURIED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

GENEVA, April 20.—After three days of continuous rains, many avalanches and landslides have occurred in the neighborhood of the Simplon Pass. At Gringeols, an avalanche buried twenty persons and five houses.

CHANGE CANAL TRANSFER PLAN.

PARIS, April 20.—The early plans to have the transfer of the Panama Canal Company's property take place at the United States Embassy here have been changed, and all the papers relating to the transfer are being executed before Consul-General Gowdy. Some of the most important documents ensuring American ownership of the canal have already been executed and the stockholders' meeting is awaited largely as a formality to make the transaction complete.

SPANISH WAR SOCIETIES UNITE.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 20.—Articles providing for the consolidation of the three Spanish War Societies under the name of the United Spanish War Veterans have been signed. The new society includes 600 camps located in every State, Hawaii, Porto Rico and the Philippines, with a membership of 160,000. The commander-in-chief is Maj. Harold C. Megrew. Among the members of the council of administration are Thomas F. O'Neil of San Francisco and Col. McClintock of Arizona.

BITTER STRUGGLE IN MASSACHUSETTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The respective supporters of Richard Olney and William R. Hearst are lining up tonight for a bitter struggle for the control of the Massachusetts delegation to St. Louis. The Democratic State convention will be held tomorrow and indications tonight are that the Olney men will control the gathering easily. It is the plan of Olney's friends to force through the convention the unit rule, thus tying up to the Massachusetts candidate all of the thirty-two votes. If this course is pursued, the supporters of Hearst intend to bolt the convention and send a contesting delegation to St. Louis.

CONCESSION TO HEARST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BOSTON, April 20.—A spirit of concession to the supporters of W. R. Hearst was manifest at tonight's meeting of the Democratic State convention, called to perfect arrangements for tomorrow's State convention, at which delegates at large and alternates to the national convention will be chosen. The friends of Richard Olney claimed, however, that the convention would advocate Mr. Olney's nomination to the Presidency, by selecting delegates pledged for him.

The Hearst men, headed by George Fred Williams, won what they consider an important concession from the State Committee when that body voted against the embodiment of the unit rule in the call for the convention.

It appeared that the call had been originally sent out without the words to which Williams objected, and it was voted that the call as first issued should stand as the legal call for the convention.

Although the Hearst supporters won their point before the committee there is nothing to prevent Olney delegates from presenting resolutions tomorrow, committing the convention to the unit rule. Mr. Williams said tonight that if such resolutions were passed, they would be illegal, and any attempt to bind the district delegates would be laughed at in St. Louis.

The State Committee refused to allow the protest of the Hearst supporters that the caucuses in Lowell which elected Olney delegates were illegal, but granted credentials to two Hearst delegates in Chelsea where Olney delegates had been selected. The candidates for the Olney wing of the State Committee for delegates at large were said tonight to be William A. Gaston, Mayor Patrick A. Collins of this city, William L. Douglas of Brockton and Congressman Thayer of Worcester.

It was understood that those of the Hearst forces were: Delegates-at-large: George Fred Williams, William McNeill, Joseph A. Smith and Charles A. Dean.

The convention will be called to order by Congressman William J. McNeary, chairman of the Democratic State Committee. John J. Flaherty, of Gloucester, will be selected for permanent chairman.

Late tonight the Hearst men sent a committee to the State Committee suggesting that places be accorded the former on the different committees. The suggestion was accepted, and committees with two representatives of the Hearst faction on each side were drawn. As one of the committees is that on resolutions, it is expected that a platform will be presented at the convention. It had been announced that no platform would be adopted.

THE VERY LATEST.

WAR NEWS AFTER MIDNIGHT.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 21.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Vice-Admiral Skrydloff will leave on Saturday to assume command of the Port Arthur fleet.

Grand Duke Cyril will return as soon as possible to make a report to the Emperor.

According to the Vieromoh Viedomosti, foreign correspondents assembled at Newchwang are being permitted to go to Mukden after singing a set of rules concerning their action on much the same stringent lines as those laid down by the Japanese, which, the Viedomosti says, makes it very doubtful of correspondents being of any use under such constrained conditions.

KOUROPATKIN WILL WAIT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, April 21.—The St. Petersburg corespondent of the Journal, says a friend of Gen. Kouropatkin has received a letter from him in which the general says he intends to await the arrival of another hundred thousand men before risking a battle with the Japanese.

NEWS FROM PORT ARTHUR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 21.—The correspondent of the Novosti, in a letter from Port Arthur dated March 27, says that the cruiser Pallada, "Will soon be entirely ready, and work is progressing on the battleships Retvizan and Czarevitch which, however, are not yet ready to go to sea."

The writer says that on March 22, the Retvizan fired six shells at a Japanese torpedo boat, all of which took effect, resulting in the sinking of the boat.

SKRYDLOFF'S POWER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, April 21.—The correspondent of the Echo de Paris at St. Petersburg says that in the course of the audience between the Emperor and Vice-Admiral Skrydloff, His Majesty conferred upon the admiral full power to act at Port Arthur in accordance with the necessities of the moment.

The rumor that $10,000,000 in cash went down with the battleship Petropavlovsk, the correspondent also says, is declared to be unfounded.

PRESSING THE PORTE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, April 21.—Russia, says the Constantinople correspondent of the Daily Mail, is putting pressure, in the shape of a demand in connection with war indemnities, upon the Porte. This action is supposed to be a prelude to a demand for permission for the Black Sea fleet to pass through the Dardanelles.

WAR BULLETINS FROM MANY POINTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIA TED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 20.—The Academy of Fine Arts proposes to create a free schollorship in memory of Verestchagin, the painter who lost his life at the time of the Petropavlovsk disaster.

Reports from Liao Yang say Grand Duke Cyril is progressing favorably, but that the doctors will not allow him to start on his long journey to St. Petersburg for several days.

The Imperial family will go to Tsarskoe-Selo at the end of next week and remain there throughout the spring.

JAPS USE BRITISH FLAG.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, April 20.—A dispatch to the Temps from St. Petersburg says that previous to the last attempt made by the Japanese to close the harbor at Port Arthur, the Russian fleet, while making a reconnoissance, sighted four ships off the Miao Tao islands, flying the British flag. After the attempt, when the fire of the warships and the forts had sunk the vessels used by the Japanese, the Russians recognized the sunken hulks as the British ships they had previously seen off the islands.

TOUCHED A MINE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VLADIVOSTOK, April 20.—Capt. Essen of the Russian cruiser Novika, commander of the squadron here, has issued an order of the day, referring to the death of Vice-Admiral Makaroff, in which he attributes the loss of the Petropaviovsk to the battleship having touched a mine.

SWEET BRITISH SYMPATHY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 20.—While accepting gratefully the world-wide expressions of sympathy which Russia has received at the death of Vice-Admiral Makaroff and the Petropaviovsk disaster, the papers seem especially impressed with the sympathy shown by the British press, several using the text to argue on the opportuneness of the discussion in favor of a Russo-British understanding. Such a rapprochement, the Novosti believes, could now be founded, not only upon interest, but on popular sympathy. Continuing, the Novosti says: "A sincere rapprochement with Great Britain would guarantee our future development."

JAPS EFFECT LANDING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, April 20.—A dispatch to the Central News from St. Petersburg says it is reported that a Japanese force has landed near Newchwang.

RUSIANS IN KOREA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, April 20.—Russian troops to the number of 1000 are reported to be in occupation of Yong Gan, in Northeast Korea. A detachment of forty Cossacks has appeared for a second time at Sung Jin, about 150 miles north of Gensan, where they burned the Japanese settlement and took possession of the post and telegraph offices. As there were no Japanese troops present, the Korean officials of Sun Jin were friendly to the Russians. Another detachment of seventy-five soldiers has advanced as far south as Puek Chyong, about seventy miles down the coast from Sung Jin.

RESIGNATION NOT ACTED ON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 20.—So far as can be learned, no action has been taken in regard to Viceroy Alexieff's application to be relieved of his duties. Indeed, it is not officially admitted that such an application has been received. Rumors of the Viceroy's approaching return have gained wide circulation, but further than admitting the fact of the existence of unfriendly relations between the two men, the official did world did all in its power to discourage the idea that Vice-Admiral Skrydloff's appointment to command the Russian fleet at Port Arthur could lead Admiral Alexieff to take a hasty step. Skrydloff, himself, has had a long interview with the Emperor and it is considered quite probable now that the situation is the subject of public discussion, that a way may be found to smooth matters over for the present, in order to preserve appearances.

PHOTOGRAPH OF DISASTER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORT ARTHUR, April 20.—An instantaneous photograph taken of the Petropaviovsk disaster may subsequently prove to be valuable in determining the controverted questions concerning it. Further details of the disaster show that the eye-witnesses were surprised at the absence of a formidable report. An enormous column of fire burst from the middle of the battleship as the vessel sank. The minor detonations heard were caused by the explosion of the magazines.

A majority of the survivors were burned. Capt. Jakovleff, the commander, sustained a number of wounds and suffered several ribs broken. There is hope that he may live. The remains, which were recovered, were received April 15, with full military honors. They include only the bodies of Commander Vasileff ,Lieuts. Kronova, Boureck and Akimoff, Dr. Dolkovich and those of twelve sailors.

CONSTANT SKIRMISHING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEOUL, April 20.—The Japanese authorities here admit that constant skirmishing has occurred between the opposing armies on the Yalu River, but they claim that no decisive action has taken place up to date, although news of such an engagement is expected at any moment.

JAP CRUISER SUNK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORT ARTHUR, Tuesday, April 19. (Delayed in transmission.) It is persistently asserted that a Japanese cruiser was sunk off Port Arthur April 15, and that the Japanese, armored cruisers Niasshin and Kasuga were damaged, respectively below and above the water line.

CORRESPONDENTS ON THE MOVE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEWCHWANG, April 20.—The correspondents of leading French, Italian and British newspapers, of one American newspaper and of the Associated Press have been permitted to proceed to Mukden. They left here today. United States Consul Miller entertained the correspondents at the consulate previous to their departure. They are the first foreign newspaper men admitted from here to the Russian lines since the declaration of war.

MINES FAR AFLOAT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NAGASAKI, April 20.—Contact mines have been found floating seaward, forty miles from Cape Shang Tung. Three of them were discovered and destroyed by the Japanese fleet.

Cape Shang Tung is a headland on the Chinese coast bearing east, southeast, and about twenty-five miles distant from Wei-Hai-Wei, the British naval rendezvous on the China station.

PURCHASE OF YANKEE SHIPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 20.—In regard to the reported purchase by Russia of four ships in the United States it is now said that the deal was negotiated at Constantinople by Gen. Williams, the agent of a Philadelphia shipbuilding firm, and the Russian ambassador to Turkey, M. Zinovieff.

STILL A MYSTERY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 20.—The Admiralty still lacks definite information as to the cause of the Petropavlovsk disaster. The authorities at Port Arthur evidently are not yet convinced that they have the true explanation. The general staff here is divided between two opinions, a mine or a boiler explosion, although a few still cling to the theory that the battleship was sunk by a submarine boat. The boiler explosion theory is based on the knowledge that the Petropavlovsk had been steaming at full speed and that her sudden slow down may have caused an accumulation of pressure which burst her boilers. Those who accept the mine theory, and they are in the majority, believe that the explosion of the mine detoned the magazine, which blew up before the boilers. The main objection advanced against the mine idea is that the water where the catastrophe occurred is too deep for anchored mines.

"I can scarcely believe that Vice-Admiral Togo would dare to turn loose a lot of floating mines," said one of the highest authorities. "The tides are high and the currents strong at Port Arthur, and floating mines might easily be carried out to sea and endanger his own ships."

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[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A flurry of snow, or rather a series of flurries of snow, today broke all records for thirteen years. May 6, 1891, there were a few flakes of snow in the air, but never since that time, according to weather bureau records, has there been snow as late in the season as that of today.

The snow which fell in this city reached barely an inch. At Binghamton, N. Y., there fell two inches. Westerly snow precipitation was more marked and in a line between Buffalo and Pittsburgh there was a remarkably heavy fall. The thermometer began falling at midnight and at 7 o'clock this morning it was down to 24.

Following the mild weather which has prevailed for several days, the cold, accompanied by a wind which blew as high as forty miles an hour, made everyone uncomfortable, particularly those who supposed that spring was here and had doffed some of their heavier clothing. Winter overcoats were brought out and collars turned up. Heat was turned on in buildings where it was shut off ten days ago.

In Vermont, the thermometer fell to 2 below zero and three inches of snow covered the ground. From one to three inches fell in Western New York.

DAMAGE IN KENTUCKY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LOUISVILLE (Ky.) April 20.—Dispatches received report a heavy snow fall and damage to fruit in Western Kentucky. A snowfall at this time of the year in these localities is unprecedented.

HEAVIEST IN THIRTY YEARS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

EVANSVILLE (Ind.) April 20.—The heaviest snow fall in thirty years has delayed traffic here today and all trains are late. At Rockport, the fall of snow was four inches.

COLDEST IN TEN YEARS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HAGERSTOWN (Md.) April 20.—The coldest weather in April for ten years prevails in this section. Small streams were frozen over and wagons crossed on the ice.

MUCH SNOW IN SOUTH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHARLOTTE (N. C.) April 20.—A snowstorm today impeded street cars and steam railroad traffic.

STORM RAGES IN ST. LOUIS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. LOUIS, April 20.—A severe snow storm raged here today, at times assuming the proportions of a blizzard. The storm began with a sleet storm, followed by a fall of twenty degrees of temperature. Following, there was a snowfall of five inches. Street traffic was impeded and trains are late. From five to seven inches of snow fell within a radius of 150 miles from St. Louis.

BLIZZARDS IN NEW YORK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OSWEGO (N. Y.) April 20.—A furious snowstorm with high winds and low temperature was raging in this section today. Blizzard conditions prevail throughout Northern New York.

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[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—At a meeting of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of California a resolution was adopted today forbidding the use of malt or spirituous liquors at any assemblage of members of the order. The following officers were elected: Grand High Priest, Charles Holton, San Francisco; Deputy Grand High Priest, Thomas Flint, Jr., San Juan; Grand King, Joseph B. Colnon, Los Angeles; Grand Scribe, Grand Sentinel, J. F. Houghton, Los Angeles; Grand Treasurer, Wm. Day, San Francisco; Grand Secretary, W. A. Davies, San Francisco; Grand Chaplain, Thomas Kyle, San Francisco; Grand Lecturer, H. Ascroft, San Francisco; Grand Captain of the Host, Charles J. Willett, Pasadena; Grand Royal Arch Captain, F. W. Mahrt, Alameda; Grand Organist, S. D. Woster, San Francisco; Grand Secretary, George W. Perkins.

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[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

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MORAL SPASM IN ALASKA.

Gamblers at Juneau Get Maximum Sentences.

The Government Also After Indian Timber Thieves.

Native Sons' Report Makes Recommendations.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA (Wash.) April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Judge Brown has finished his crusade against gambling at Juneau and Skagway by fining a large number of gamblers and announcing that hereafter he will sentence all convicted of gambling to the full extent of the law, which is a fine of $500. The fines which he imposed last week were on a basis of $100 for those convicted the first time of conducting gambling houses as proprietors, and $50 for employés, with amounts doubled for second offenses.

Warrants have been issued at Ketchikan for the arrest of a large number of British Columbia Indians, who have been caught cutting sawlogs in Alaska and having them towed to Canadian sawmills at Port Simpson. Federal officers at Ketchikan and Juneau are endeavoring to catch the Indians in the act of stealing timber. Deputy Collector Beagle of Ketchikan will also attempt to seize a Canadian tug that tows logs.

A boom of logs, which may prove the death blow to the traffic, became weather-bound, along with the tug, before getting out of American waters. The boom was anchored, and the tug captain promised to return for it. It is intended now to nab the whole outfit when the tug returns. Marshal Shoup and Federal Attorney Boyce have gone to Ketchikan to aid.

DIMOND RESUMES TESTIMONY.

AZETEC LAND TRANSACTION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—Henry P. Dimond resumed his testimony in the land fraud investigation today. Cross-examination by Attorney Heney brought out the fact that Hyde, defendant in the case, telegraphed Dimond in 1901, regarding the repeal of the land laws of 1897, that he cared nothing about the bill further than the protection of the surrenders already made.

Heney stated to the court that if the defendant could clear away certain obstacles he would move that the indictment against him be dismissed. Dimond's response to this was that he desired an open inquiry.

Dimond declared that Hyde had refused to pay his bill for extra services rendered in the Azetec land transaction, and while admitting and acknowledging the charge to be just, alleged that Benson was responsible for its non-payment. He said Benson admitted the debt, but refused to acknowledge it in writing. He had been informed that Hyde and Benson cleared $40,000 on the Azetec land deal.

NATIVE SONS REPORT.

SEVERAL RECOMMENDATIONS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

STOCKTON, April 20.—Grand President H. R. McNoble of the Native Sons of the Golden West has just concluded his annual report to the Grand Parlor. He reviews the work of the year just passed and makes a number of recommendations of general interest to the entire State.

The most important feature of the report is the recommendation that Yosemite National Park be receded from the State to the Federal government, to be controlled and improved by the latter, in the hope of encouraging tourist travel to California in general and the Yosemite Valley in particular by reason of better accommodations and better roads.

It is also recommended that a home for the widows and orphans of members of the order of Native Sons be provided.

An increase of about two thousand members of the order throughout the State is reported for the year.

The repair and purchase of a number of historic missions and landmarks is referred to, and progress in connection with the erection of a monument in memoriam of the Donner party is reported.

The report is very extensive and shows in detail all the work of the Native Sons of the Golden West during the past year.

GRAND PARLOR'S SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VALLEJO, April 20.—The annual session of the Grand Parlor, Native Sons of the Golden West, to be held in this city next week, promises to be a memorable one. The meeting will be called to order Monday forenoon and will continue until late Friday.

Advance reports indicate a large attendance and an interesting session. New legislation is likely to be advanced and a number of grand offices will be objects of warm contests.

Considerable energy and care are being displayed by the local Committee of Arrangements in preparing for the reception and entertainment of grand officers and delegates. The social programme promises to be very satisfactory.

MASONS CUT OUT LIQUORS.

FORBIDDEN AT ASSEMBLY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—At the meeting of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of California a resolution was adopted today forbidding the use of malt or spirituous liquors at any assemblage of members of the order. The following officers were elected: Grand High Priest, Charles Patton, San Francisco; Deputy Grand High Priest, Thomas Flint, Jr., San Jose; Grand King, Joseph B. Cooke, Alameda; Grand Sentinel, J. F. Hughes, Los Angeles; Grand Treasurer, F. H. Dunn, San Francisco; Grand Secretary, A. A. Davies, San Francisco; Grand Captain, Thomas Kyle, San Francisco; Grand Lecturer, H. Ascroft, San Francisco; Grand Captain of the Host, Charles J. Willett, Pasadena; Grand Royal Arch Captain, F. W. Moebus, Alameda; Grand Organist, S. D. Mayer, San Francisco; Grand Sentinel, George W. Perkins.

BOUND TO BE SUCCESS.

STATE PROMOTION DINNER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—From acceptances already received at headquarters of the California Promotion Committee, in response to invitations to the State dinner to be given at the Palace Hotel, Saturday evening, April 30, a general State representation is assured. From as far north as Eureka and south to San Diego, acceptances have come in.

An invitation has been extended to Prince Luigi of Savoy and it is expected that this distinguished man will be present at the dinner. The Prince is due in San Francisco Sunday next, coming by way of the West Coast, in command of the cruiser Liguria.

The Prince of Savoy is a cousin of the present King Victor Emmanuel of Italy and comes to America to represent the King at the St. Louis Exposition.

INJURED IN A RUNAWAY.

ACCIDENT AT SACRAMENTO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, April 20.— Miss Ellen Prussa of Red Bluff, who is visiting Mrs. Ellen Morris of this city, was seriously injured in a runaway accident this afternoon and is suffering from shock and contusion of the spine. The ladies were driving to the cemetery to visit the grave of Charles Morris, the young fireman who was killed in a train wreck near Tehama last fall. A wheel came off their vehicle, the horse ran away and both were thrown out.

Morris was the son of the elder woman and the betrothed of Miss Prussa.

KNIGHTS PYTHIAS OFFICERS.

ELECTED AT SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—The greater part of the session of the Grand Lodge of the Knights and Ladies of Honor in the Pythian Castle today was taken up in the selection of grand officers for the current term. The result of the elections was as follows: Frances J. Williams of San Francisco, Grand Protector; D. J. Girard of San José, Vice-Protector; W. H. Quitzow of San Francisco, Secretary; A. Gomperts of San Francisco, Treasurer; Mrs. Nusbaum of San Francisco, Chaplain; Jennie Dinklage of San Francisco, Guide; Marion G. Perry of Vallejo, Inside Guardian; W. I. Banbrook of Auburn, Sentinel; E. H. Bourgington of San José, A. H. Anderson of San Francisco, and Ellen Fitzgerald of San Francisco, Trustees.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Schwab in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—Charles M. Schwab, ex-president of the steel trust, has arrived here.

Old Man Badly Hurt.

SAN JOSE, April 20.—John Ward, an old man, was run into by an electric car last night and dragged some distance. Although badly hurt, his injuries are not fatal.

No Injury to Fruit Trees.

SAN JOSE, April 20.—There was a slight frost this morning, but no injury was done to fruit trees. It is still cloudy, but no rain has fallen today.

Gov. Pardee Hands Over Negro.

SACRAMENTO, April 20.—Gov. Pardee today issued a warrant for the requisition of Joe Godley, a colored man wanted for murder in Kansas. Godley was recently captured in San José, where he is now held.

Opinion as to Transferred Entries.

SAN JOSE, April 20.—In an official opinion today, Dist.-Atty. Campbell holds that transferred entries on the great register from county to city precincts may be made up to within twenty-five days of the coming city election.

Wreck of a Wrecking Train.

CAPITOLA, April 20.—A wreck on the Overland road near Santa Barbara last night made the west-bound train too late to connect with the local running between Pajaro and Santa Cruz, so a special was sent from Santa Cruz. Upon the return trip, the special was held at this place owing to the wreck of a wrecking train which left the track in an attempt to put an oil train back, derailed earlier in the evening.

California Hay for the Army.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—The Quartermaster-General's department of the army has awarded contracts amounting to $45,000 to members of the Manufacturers' and Producers' Association for furnishing California hay for use in the Philippines.

Chinaman Gets Reprieve.

SACRAMENTO, April 20.—Gov. Pardee today granted a reprieve to Leung Ock, the Chinaman who was to be hanged next Friday at San Quentin. The reprieve was granted on the recommendation of Dr. Hatch, superintendent of State hospitals, who thinks the Chinaman is insane.

Severe Hailstorm at San Rafael.

SAN RAFAEL, April 20.—A severe hailstorm visited this vicinity last night. It was attended by a light rain. The total rainfall up to date is 48.12 inches, against 37.20 last year. Reports come from all portions of Marin county that the crops are in excellent condition.

Gets Two Terms in Prison.

STOCKTON, April 20.—Harry Williams, who confessed to the theft of four horses and pleaded guilty to two charges of larceny, was this afternoon sentenced by Judge Nutter to eight years in San Quentin on the first charge and nine on the second, which begins at the expiration of the first sentence.

Leaves Over Million to Heirs.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—The will of Samuel Davis, who died here April 5, has just been filed for record. He left an estate valued at between $1,000,000 and $1,500,000. His heirs are his sister, Jane Davis, living at Galway, N. Y.; Henry W. Davis, a nephew, and Mrs. Mary Stone, a niece, living at Churchill, N. Y.

Oil on the International Line.

DOUGLAS (Ariz.) April 20.—Important oil discoveries have been made on the international line near here. Hundreds of people have visited the new field. Experts who have been on the ground say the strike bids fair to be one of the important ones of the West. Already arrangements have been made to erect derricks on the fields.

Washout Derails Washington Train.

PORTLAND (Or.) April 20.—A special to the Oregonian from Walla Walla, Wash., says: "Engineer Godfrey and Fireman William Grayson were injured in a wreck on the Washington and Columbia River Railroad's Pasco train, shortly after midnight, several miles west of here. General Manager Joseph McCabe, who was on the train, was slightly hurt, as were two or three others. The derailment was caused by a washout on Mud Creek. The engine went into the creek and Godfrey and Grayson were pulled out from under the water. The express car was also thrown off."

Demurrer to Indictment Overruled.

PORTLAND, April 20.—Judge Bellinger today overruled the demurrer to the indictment against T. A. Wood and Moses Wood, charging them with conspiracy to defraud the government. The defense claimed insufficiency of the indictment as the principal basis for the demurrer. The prosecution is alleged aiding and abetting persons to obtain pensions for service in the Indian wars to which it is charged they were not entitled.

Big Mongolia in Drydock.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—The big steamer Mongolia, the largest ever built in an American shipyard, was put in the dry dock tonight, but darkness come on before all of the water was pumped out of the basin. The Mongolia struck on a sandbar off Parnambuco, South America, and it was found that one of her propellers was badly twisted.

Smallpox on the Ching Fo.

ASTORIA (Or.) April 20.—The China commercial liner Ching Fo arrived in port tonight and was ordered into quarantine. When the steamship arrived at Salinas Crux, she had nine cases of smallpox aboard. All the patients were Chinese and were put ashore there. The Ching Fo was in quarantine at Salinas Crux, but must again be fumigated.

News Stand Controversy Settled.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—The long controversy over the news stand at the Union Ferry depot was settled today, when the Harbor Commissioners decided to accept the bid of Foster and Orear, present occupants, and the only ones to offer a bid. Their figure was $1565 per month or about $1100 per month more than they formerly paid.

CHARGES INFIDELITY.

Wilkie L. Edwards Files Sensational Answer to His Wife's Suit for Divorce.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

COLORADO SPRINGS (Colo.) April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Wilkie L. Edwards, formerly of Los Angeles, and whose family is prominent in that city, made sensational charges against Mrs. Beulah Trimble Edwards in his answer and cross-complaint to a suit for divorce, which he filed today. Edwards's wife sued him for divorce less than two months after their marriage, the culmination of their troubles being an assault on the part of Edwards, that Mrs. Edwards made the basis of her action.

After admitting the assault charge, Edwards in his answer states that he was provoked to his action by the conduct of his wife, who, he alleges, was unfaithful to him. He charges that from the first day of their marriage she became enamored with Guy Lacoste, a well-known man of Denver, and that she held clandestine relations with him from the day of their wedding. After charging his wife with unfaithfulness, Edwards asks that he be granted the divorce and alimony sufficient to pay the costs of the suit.

Mrs. Edwards is the daughter of George W. Trimble, owner of the famous Little Johnnie mine at Leadville, and is conceded to be the wealthiest heiress of the West. She is known to the exclusive social sets of New York, Philadelphia and San Francisco, and has traveled extensively. Her father is head of the big Alaskan coast enterprises and is extensively interested in Portland and other Coast enterprises.

Mrs. Trimble, mother of Mrs. Edwards, charges attempted blackmail on the part of Edwards, alleging that for a consideration, which she refused to grant, he offered to leave the country and allow her daughter to obtain a divorce without contest. Edwards is a well-known club man of this city.

THIBETANS TAKE LIFE.

Grewsome Discovery Made by British at Gyangtse—Relics for Museums.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

GYANGTSE, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The fort was finally emptied and partially blown up today. Among the strange discoveries in the fort was a room containing scores of heads, some recently cut off. This is unusual, in view of the Buddhist prohibition against taking life. The Thibetans were supposed to avoid literal infraction of the commandment by allowing victims to starve to death, but this discovery points to regular executions in Gyangtse. Such articles, valuable and curious, found in the fort, as not immediately connected with religious worship, will be handed to the Indian government for distribution to British and Indian museums.

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50c Lace Collar Stocks 25c

Special for Friday a lot of women's lace collar stocks at just half price. They come in ecru or white, in handsome new designs with tab ends.

Marvels in Wash Goods

A gay Summer season is ahead. It will be characterized by many new and beautiful weaves in wash goods.

There seems to be popular rivalry among women folks to select original and uncommon effects in wash goods.

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Regularly 10c—half-pound bar—a pure, transparent glycerine soap for bath or toilet.

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Made of fine oil tanned leather and properly finished ready to use—regular barber's size with strong metal swivel—dressed canvas back.

Lesley's Shaving Lotion 19c
Regularly 25c
A very fine preparation, particularly pleasant to tender faces. A delightful application to be used after shaving.

Ed Pinaud's French Toilet Soaps 19c
Regularly 25c
Pinaud is one of the foremost French perfumers, and his soaps have a world-wide reputation. All of his popular odors special for three days only.

Java Rice Powder 26c
Regularly 35c
One of the finest complexion powders manufactured.

Narrick's Amulet Pendants 12c
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Lesley's Dental Cream and French Tooth Brush 23c
The Cream is regularly 25c. The Brush 15c.
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Moth Balls..... 6c
Regularly 10c—A few distributed about the closets will eradicate the moth nuisance.

Fancy Metal Powder Box ... 21c
Regularly 35c—pretty boxes that are nicely designed—suitable for your toilet table.

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Regularly 50c
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Concentrated Extract Jamaica Ginger..... 19c
Regular 25c bottles—a fine extract—should be kept in every house.

Old Private Stock Whisky... 64c
Regular 85c bottle—a fine distilled whisky, highly recommended for family use.

Good Cloth Brush..... 37c
Regularly 50c—polished wood back—fine selected bristles—a very superior special.

Turkish Wash Rag..... 6c
Regularly 10c—good size, made from good heavy Turkish toweling.

Whisk Broom..... 18c
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WASHINGTON.

KICKS WON'T HELP A BIT.

Treasury Department Unmoved by Telegrams.

Will Settle Postoffice Site in Its Own Way.

Union Labor Champions Again Fall Down.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Bard went to the Treasury Department today and had a talk with the people there about sending an inspector to Los Angeles to look over public building sites. He was told that as soon as the President signs the bill just passed by Congress relating to Los Angeles, action will be taken. The probabilities are that Col. Low will be on the way to Los Angeles within a week.

Telegrams for and against the proposed free site continue to arrive, and some men who signed the original kick are reported as having withdrawn. While it may be cheerful for them and the community at large to have them withdraw from the protest, it really makes no big difference one way or another.

Kicks have very little to do with the settlement of a matter like this. That settles it is the cold, fishy eye of an inspector who has been at the business for years and who is sent out to ascertain what is the best business proposition for the government. A official of the department said today: "I hope the business men of Los Angeles will not start a fight with this department by telegraph. They had better spend their money playing pickle than in telegraphing protests here. This is a business matter to be settled in a business way by an inspector."

LABOR DEMAGOGUES.
AGAIN FOUND WANTING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] For some years labor unions all over the United States have been urging Congress to build more ships of war in the navy yards. San Francisco labor unions have been insistent about the matter, and from other big cities appeals have come to Congress urging such action. Of course these appeals did not have much weight, but the proposition seemed a good one, anyway, and had for a long time been under consideration by naval experts, so last year an experiment was tried and is now working out. When the Naval Appropriation Bill was before the Senate, Senator Perkins had inserted into it a provision that two naval colliers be constructed in navy yards, one on the Atlantic and one on the Pacific Coast. Chairman Foss of the House Naval Affairs Committee kicked and when the matter went upon the floor of the House today, it was up to California people to do something. Chairman Foss explained that the Mare Island yard will need about $175,000 worth of new machinery before it will be equipped to do the work. Representative Bell, who is a Democrat from California, but one of these independent chaps who refuses to wear Hearst's collar or anybody else's but his own, made a good speech in favor of giving Mare Island one collier to construct, and he made so many good points that a great many Republicans turned around and voted that this be advocated.

While this was going on, William Randolph Hearst and E. J. Livernash, two vociferous champions of union labor and everything it stands for, did not utter a single word in favor of the amendment, and did not vote upon the question. The final vote was four for the amendment, to 57 against it.

WOULD IMPEACH PHIL KNOX.

OUTRAGE DEMOCRATIC ATTACK ON ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Minority Leader of House Accuses Him of Chronically Failing to Observe His Oath of Office—Two Anti-trust Resolutions Sneaked through Judiciary Committee.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 20.—Through failure of all but three of the Republican members to attend the meeting of the House Committee on Judiciary today, resolutions were introduced by Mr. Williams of Mississippi, minority floor leader, calling for information from the Attorney-General.

Chairman Jenkins endeavored to prevent action on the resolutions, but a vote was forced. The six Democratic members of the committee were present and in order to follow the action of his committee, the chairman voted with them.

One of the resolutions favorably reported upon requests the Attorney-General to inform the House whether any investigation was ever had and report made "of the so-called authracite-coal trust, consisting of the anthracite-coal carrying railroads doing an interstate business," and if so, to send the full report of such investigation to the House.

The other resolution requests the Attorney-General to inform the House whether any criminal prosecutions have been instituted against individuals or corporations who were adjudged recently by the Supreme Court of the United States, in the Northern Securities case, to be guilty of having violated the laws of the United States by entering into unlawful combinations in restraint of interstate commerce, and if so to send to the House the papers, etc., in such cases.

Mr. Williams charged that the Attorney-General had failed in his duty to conduct criminal prosecutions against those declared by the Supreme Court in the merger decision to have violated the anti-trust law, and also had failed to institute legal proceedings against the anthracite-coal carriers, although the Attorney-General had in his possession a report favorable to prosecutions of these railroads.

In a letter to the chairman of the committee, from which Mr. Williams read, the Attorney-General declared it would be incompatible with the public interest to give the information to Congress, but Mr. Williams declared that it was the duty of Congress to impeach an official of the government chronically failing to observe his oath in the execution of the law.

SECOND ROUND OF SMOOT CASE.

BRIGHAM H. ROBERTS REVEALS SECRETS OF HAREM.

Wily Apostle Kept First and Second Wives in Ignorance of His Third Matrimonial Venture—Says He Believes Polygamy to be the Law of God.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 20.—What may be termed the second round of the Reed Smoot contest opened today before the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections. It was announced that seven witnesses would be heard before the adjournment of Congress, and it is practically certain that the committee will then adjourn to convene July 18. At that time will be examined witnesses who were unable to come to Washington, and others who could not be reached with summons to come here.

Important testimony for the prosecution is expected to be developed at this session of the committee. The hearing opened without formality of any character. Brigham H. Roberts was called to the stand by Mr. Taylor. He was questioned to bring out a statement of his official connection with the church.

Roberts said he was elected to the position of one of the first seven presidents in 1888, and entered politics about 1889. His interest was manifested in making speeches, but he was not a candidate for office until 1894. He was then elected as a member of the constitutional convention, which met in 1896. He explained his candidacy for Congress, and the opposition that had developed from Mormon sources. He said the church had opposed the election of high officials of the church to membership of the constitutional convention, and that he had accordingly consented not to urge his candidacy. He was nominated during his absence, and was informed that the order had been rescinded. He said that Joseph F. Smith was the member of the first presidency who said the ruling had been modified.

In response to questions of Mr. Taylor Roberts said his first plural marriage was performed by D. H. Wells, counsel to the apostles, and he thought the ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. Wells's son.

THIRD MARRIAGE SECRET.

Senator Overman inquired of Roberts whether his first wife and his second wife had consented to his marriage to his third wife.

"No, sir," said Romerts. Continuing, he said they did not learn of the marriage for three or four years.

"How was that?" asked Mr. Beveridge.

"Do you mean to say that the marriage was not known to any one?"

"It was known to some of my friends, but not to my wives," was the answer.

"Why was this marriage concealed from them?" asked Chairman Burrows.

"Because I did not want to embarrass them."

"How embarrass them?"

"Well, we knew the marriage was illegal, and it might be embarrassing to them if they should for any reason be called to testify."

Roberts said his third wife was the divorced wife of Dr. Shipp, and in regard to his courtship he said he always had met her at the house of mutual friends, and had never called on her at her home. He also said that she continued to live in her home, but that he never had called on her there until she removed to rooms on Main street, Salt Lake.

Mr. Taylor asked Roberts if he knew that Maggie Shipp Roberts lived in a house where lived her divorced husband and two of his divorced wives.

Roberts said he was not aware of that fact.

Chairman Burrows desired to know whether Mr. Wells knew the witness had a wife living when he married the third wife.

"He did," said Roberts. "He married me to my second wife."

THE "LAW OF GOD."

Mr. Taylor asked Roberts why he thought it incumbent upon him to take plural wifes.

"From boyhood," replied the witness, "I have been taught the rightfulness of plural marriages, and I believed this practice to be the law of God."

At the afternoon session questions were asked respecting Roberts's views regarding the manifesto of 1890 against plural wives and living in polygamous cohabitation, and the witness said he regarded the manifesto as an administrative act of the church and of binding force upon all members. He admitted that to disobey any of those laws would subject the members to liability of church discipline.

The witness was asked then in regard to polygamous cohabitation, and said that he and many others were living in polygamy at the time the rule was made against such cohabitation, and that they considered themselves under moral obligations to live with the wives they had married.

"Do you think you are morally bound to cohabit with all of your wives?" Chairman Burrows asked.

"I do."

The witness then was turned over to the defense, and Mr. Van Cott opened for the cross-examination.

PANAMA CANAL ZONE.
SCHEME FOR GOVERNING IT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 20.—The House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce today took up all the pending bills for the government of the Panama zone, and disposed of the question by striking out of the Senate bill all after the enacting clause, and inserting with a few slight changes the second section of the act of 1803, of which Thomas Jefferson was the author, for the government of the territory acquired by the Louisiana purchase. As authorized by the report to the House the bill provides as follows:

"That until the expiration of the Fifty-eighth Congress, until provision for the temporary government of the territory acquired by the United States from the republic of Panama, by the terms of the treaty on the 26th day of February, 1904, be sooner made by Congress, all the military, civil and judicial powers exercised by the officers of the existing government of said territory, or granted by the terms of said treaty to the United States, shall be vested in such person or persons, and shall be exercised in such manner as the President of the United States shall direct for the government of said territory, and for maintaining and protecting the inhabitants thereof in the free enjoyment of their liberty, property and religion."

OLD AGE LIMIT.
IN CIVIL SERVICE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 20.—The House Committee on Reform in the civil service has authorized Chairman Gillett to introduce a bill providing that on June 30, 1907, every office in the classified service of the United States held by a person who is then over 70 years old, shall become vacant and that thereafter such offices shall become vacant when the incumbents become 70 years old. The committee directed Mr. Gillett to report all pending bills granting pensions to civil employés of the government to the House, with the recommendation that they lie on the table; also that he draft a bill reclassifying the clerical service of the government with a veiw to providing for more frequent promotions in the smaller salaried positions.

CHINESE EXCLUSION.
BILL STRIKES A SNAG.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 20.—The General Deficiency Bill reported by the Senate Committee on Appropriations carries $11,343,146, an increase as it passed the House of $940,525. It contains as an amendment the Hitt Chinese Exclusion Bill, which was accepted by the House before the bill was passed. The Hitt bill was introduced in the Senate by Mr. Penrose and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. In this committee the discovery, it is said, has been made that the bill will affect the introduction of Chinese coolie labor into the Panama canal zone and to a considerable extent effect the immigration to this country of Koreans, and Filipinos and the deportation from the United States, Hawaii, Porto Rico and any territory "subject to the jurisdiction of the United States," of any person held to come within the definition of the words "Chinese person," and objection has been made to the far-reaching effect of the bill.

When the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations began consideration today of the Chinese bill, it was suggested that the bill might be of wider scope than was at first thought. Sections defining the words "Chinese person" were called to notice, and it was suggested that these might be held to relate to Filipinos, Koreans and others not intended to be included and that the passage of the bill might be in conflict with the existing treaties. It was late when the discovery was made, and finally the members of the committee concluded that no action would be taken on the Penrose bill in view of the fact that the Hitt amendment was reported in the Deficiency Bill, but that the matter might be discussed in open Senate. It is understood an attempt will be made to amend the measure before the Deficiency Bill passes the Senate.

THE CONGRESS.

REGULAR SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, April 20.—SENATE.—The Senate today listened to a set speech of almost two hours' duration on the trusts by Mr. Dolliver and afterward completed consideration of the Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill, again devoting much time to the provisions for an extension of the east front of the Capitol and for an additional office building for the Senate.

Mr. Hale, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the General Deficiency Appropriation Bill.

Mr. Dubois introduced, and the Senate passed without comment, a resolution instructing the Postmaster-General to ascertain, as far as possible, and report to the Senate, what, if any, postmasters in Idaho are living in polygamy.

Mr. Dolliver then addressed the Senate on the trust question. He referred to the attitude of the Democratic party toward the tariff, saying that for the first time in our national history since 1888, the policy of protection stands approved, its enemies themselves being the judges, by the common consent of the American people. He defended Republican policies from the charge that they fostered trusts, and said:

"There is only one sense in which the protective tariff can be held responsible for the trusts. That is, without the protective tariff, there would have been fewer industries to combine and therefore fewer combinations."

He declared that the effect of the abolition of the tariff would be to turn our markets and our industries over to other nations. Mr. Dolliver in closing said:

"We approach this Presidential campaign united in the bonds of our historic faith. We did not originate it; we inherited it from our fathers.

"If changes are required to bring the tariff law of 1897 into a more perfect relation to the industrial progress of the American people, we propose to make them ourselves, whenever, in our judgment the work can be undertaken without doing more harm than good, but we shall not consent to any changes which surrender the rights of American labor, the advantage which every man who makes a bona fide investment of his money into the United States ought to have over his competitors in other lands. We look forward with hope to the progress of our commerce from the river to the end of the earth, but we don't forget that the statistics of our foreign trade have brought the most encouragement to our people in those exact periods when our own producers have been most perfectly guarded against injurious approach of the outside world, and that the law of 1897 for the first time in our history has yielded us a favorable balance of our trade in manufactured goods."

Consideration of the Sundry Civil Bill was resumed, the immediate question being an amendment for an office and committee building for the Senate.

Mr. Stone and Mr. Stewart supported the amendment and Mr. Newlands advocated a postponement of the entire question until it could be investigated by architects. The amendment was agreed to by a vote of 50 to 10.

The provision for an addition to the east front of the Capitol inserted by the House and amended by the Senate Committee on Appropriations was discussed. Mr. Allison offered an amendment which was adopted, limiting the immediate appropriation to $75,000.

The amendment appropriating $71,000 as the share of the United States of the cost of the building to be erected in Washington for the Bureau of American republics, was adopted.

Mr. Bacon offered, and the Senate accepted, an amendment appropriating $50,000 for the erection in Washington of a statue of Jefferson. He said he desired to have the provision inserted "as an antidote to the provision for the statue of Frederick the Great," and he asked to have the provision inserted immediately after the paragraph relating to Frederick, which was done.

The Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill was then passed as amended.

The Pension Bill was laid before the Senate which then, at 5:30 p.m., adjourned.

HOUSE—The House today after an extended debate sent the Naval Appropriation Bill back to conference.

Mr. Wadsworth of New York called up the conference report on the Agricultural Appropriation Bill, which was agreed to.

Mr. Olmstead of Pennsylvania, from the Committee on Elections, No. 2, reported a resolution, which was agreed to, declaring Allan C. Durborrow, the contestant, was not elected to the Fifty-eighth Congress from Illinois, and that William Lorimer was entitled to retain his seat.

Mr. Foss then called up the conference report on the Naval Appropriation Bill.

A motion by Meyer of Louisiana, to accept the Senate amendment providing for the construction of two colliers in government yards afforded Mr. Bell of California an opportunity to speak in behalf of government ship yards which, he said, should be built up, so that the government would not be robbed or held up by any shipbuilding trust or combine.

On a rising vote, 118 to 7, the Senate amendment was accepted.

Another conference was authorized, on the items still in dispute, the chair appointing Messrs. Foss, Dayton and Meyer conferees on the part of the House.

A special rule was reported by Mr. Grosvenor from the Committee on Rules providing for immediate consideration of a bill to provide for allotments of land in severalty to the Indians in the State of New York and to extend the laws of the United States and State of New York over such Indians. On a rising vote the rule was adopted, 139 to 81. The bill was passed, 187 to 58, after being amended in several particulars.

A bill was passed to amend the laws relating to American seamen for the protection of such seamen and to promote commerce; also a bill amending section 2327 of the revised statutes so as to apply to mining claims the rule that where there are fixed monuments marking the boundary of a piece of land, these boundaries shall control.

At 5:45 p.m., the House adjourned.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Cortelyou May Succeed Payne.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is reported that Postmaster-General Payne may soon resign from the Cabinet, and that in that event George B. Cortelyou, Secretary of the Department of Commerce and Labor, may be transferred to the position of Postmaster-General.

Porto Ricans Not Aliens.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—The House Committee on Insular Affairs has authorized a favorable report on the Senate bill providing for the naturalization of Porto Ricans as citizens of the United States. The committee eliminated from the bill the naturalization provision, on the ground that the Supreme Court of the United States had decided in the Gonzales case that Porto Ricans are not aliens.

Famous General Coming Over.

WASHINGTON, April 20.—Maj.-Gen. Peter Ostenhaus, one of the famous cavalrymen of the Civil War, will arrive in this city from his present home in Mannheim, Germany, April 25. He will visit President Roosevelt and the World's Fair.

BOSTON NOW SAID TO BE BUTTING JIM HILL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, April 20.—A report was circulated today in this city to the effect that a suit had been started against the Northern Securities Company and an order in the suit signed by Justice Geigerisch of the Supreme Court had been issued returnable tomorrow but Justice Geigerisch said he had not signed any such order.

This new suit was said to have been instituted by C. H. Venner of Boston, who was interested in the suit brought by the Continental Securities Company, whose application for an injunction against tomorrow's meeting of the Northern Securities Company, and against the announced method for distributing the holdings of railroad stocks, was denied by Vice-Chancelor Bergen, of Jersey City, Monday.

It was later reported that copies of an order directing E. H. Harriman and the Union Pacific Railroad to show cause why they should not refuse to accept the stock to be distributed to them under the Hill plan were served upon the counsel for Harriman and upon the officers of the Northern Securities Company, who must also appear in the action.

A conference of counsel on the Harriman side was held late in the afternoon at the office of Kuhn, Loeb & Company. It was said afterward that no announcement was ready as to the plan of action to be taken.

NEW JERSEY SUIT BEGINS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TRENTON (N. J.) April 20.—Suit has been begun in the United States Circuit Court for the New Jersey district against the Northern Securities Company by E. H. Harriman, Winslow S. Pierce, the Oregon Short Line Railroad Company and the Equitable Trust Company of New York, trustee under the Oregon Short Line participating mortgage, to restrain the Northern Securities Company from carrying out the plan adopted by its directors for the distribution of the stocks of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific stocks held in the treasury of the defendant company.

The facts in the case as recited by the bill of complaint cover substantially the same ground upon which was based the intervention suit in the United States suits in the district of Minnesota, which was decided on Tuesday adverse to the Harriman interests.

Judge Andrew Kirkpatrick today issued a temporary order restraining the carrying out of the plan of distribution. The court has fixed next Monday, April 25, at 11 a.m., in Trenton, for the hearing of the motion to make the injunction permanent.

It is said that this injunction will operate to prevent the proposed meeting of the stockholders of the Northern Securities Company called for tomorrow at Hoboken to vote upon the Northern Securities directors' plan of distribution of the treasury stock.

Returns from Inspection Trip.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—Traffic Manager William Sproule of the Southern Pacific, who has been making an inspection trip with Traffic Director Stubbs of the Harriman lines, returned from the North today. While in Portland, the officials held several conferences with the local officials of the Oregon Railway and Navigation and the Southern Pacific. No important business was accomplished.

TORONTO'S STREETS WERE AS FURANCES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TORONTO (Ont.) April 20.—The fire that raged throughout the night and up to an early hour this morning in Toronto's wholesale and retail business district was the most disastrous in the history of the city. The total loss is conservatively estimated at between five and six million dollars. The principal warehouses of the city were reduced to ashes and nearly 250 firms were put out of business.

The area covered by the fire is three blocks in length and varies from half a block to two blocks in width. Every building on Bay street from Melinda street southward to the Esplanade on the water front, was wiped out and the fire spread on Wellington and Front streets and the Esplanade, along the water front, from the intersection with Bay street from districts of a few hundred feet to a whole block. The total number of buildings destroyed was 123.

Early in the evening, when the fire assumed alarming proportions, appeals for assistance were sent to London, Hamilton, Monteal and Buffalo. Special trains were at once started from these points, but it was long after midnight before the first of them began to arrive, and in the meantime the local firemen were having the fight of their lives. From the time the fire started on the north side of Wellington street, a short distance east of Bay street, in the E. and S. Currie neckwear manufacturing plant, until it burned itself out at daybreak, there was not a moment when a shift of the wind to the north would not have resulted in the destruction of the greater part of the city.

At an early stage of the fire, Chief Thompson was forced to jump from the top of a building when trapped by flames. A network of wires broke his fall and saved his life, and he escaped with a broken leg. When the chief made the leap for his life, a traveler from Montreal was on the roof with him, and no trace of him has since been seen. It is probable that he perished in the flames.

The fire started in the elevator shaft in the rear of the Currie building. Then the flames spread across the street to Brown Bros.' and from there east to Bay street. The wind, which had been brisk, increased to a gale. A general alarm was sounded, but before all the firemen had reached the scene the fire had leaped to the high buildings occupied by Ansley & Co. and Pusley, Dinsman & Co. Almost simultaneously, flames began to shoot out from the Brown building and the firemen were obliged to divide their forces. In an incredibly short time, half a dozen buildings were a mass of flames and the streams of water thrown into them had no apparent effect.

FIREMEN UNITE FORCES.

The Gale Manufacturing Company's plant was the next to fall prey to the fire and shortly afterward the flames from the east side of Dingham & Moneypenny's buildings were carried across to the east side of Bay street to the Office Specialty building. It was here that the firemen united forces and made a desperate stand to check the progress of the flames northward into the heart of the city. They won, but not until they had lost control of the flames, which were now sweeping down Bay street toward the river front. The office of the Evening Telegram, the next building north of the Office Specialty building, was slightly damaged in the two hours' fight with the raging flames.

In the meantime, the immense warehouse of the W. R. Brock Company, on the southwest corner of Bay and Wellington streets, was being subjected to the intense heat from the burning Brown building, on the east, and the Dingham and Moneypenny building opposite, with scarcely a stream of water playing upon them. The big wooden water tank on the roof caught fire, but in some strange manner the building itself was saved from destruction for the time being.

In a brief space of time, Front street, on both sides, was like a roaring furnace. For over half an hour the fire in Front street burned fiercely, practically unchecked. It then began to work its way back upon Bay street. It was only the intervening park that saved the Queen's Hotel, one of the finest hostelries in the country. The guests hurriedly left and everything portable was removed from the hotel.

FLAMES' FLYING LEAPS.

The flames leaped across Bay street in half a dozen places and shortly before midnight it became apparent that the whole block south of East Wellington street was doomed. In forty-five minutes, the flames had leveled every building between Front street and the Esplanade, on the west side of Bay street.

The firemen, who had been forced to retreat slowly on Front street and the Esplanade, concentrated their forces and made another desperate stand. They failed this time. The flames leaped across the street below Front street and destroyed McLaughlin's flour mills at the corner of Bay street and Front. From there, the fire took an easterly course toward Yonge street and dangerously near the wharves. On the southwest, it burned itself out for lack of fuel. The flames were also spreading toward the east along both sides of Front street and the east side of Wellington street.

The customhouse, a four-story stone building, was the building that stopped the progress of the flames toward the eastern end of Front street. Tons of water were thrown against the sides of the customhouse. That structure was not seriously damaged.

Dynamite was used on several small buildings.

Revised estimates of the losses place them at $10,000,000, with $7,000,000 insurance. One hundred and fourteen buildings were destroyed, and it is estimated that 6000 people were thrown out of employment.

FOURTEEN ACRES BURNED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TORONTO, April 20.—The total loss by the fire last night will, according to the most conservative estimate, reach $12,000,000. The total insurance is $5,360,000.

The areas burned embraced fourteen acres, and from 5000 to 7000 persons are thrown out of employment. The work of tearing down the dangerous walls was begun this afternoon.

In the whole burned district the only walls that appear to stand intact are those of the W. R. Brock & Co. building. The City Council this afternoon placed all public buildings and the exhibition grounds at the disposal of the fire sufferers; amended the fire regulations to allow the erection of temporary structures and appointed a committee to wait on the Legislature and secure an act ordering all wires underground.

OBITUARY.

Dr. Charlotte Blake Brown.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—Dr. Charlotte Blake Brown, one of the leading women physicians of the Pacific Coast, is dead as the result of a second operation following an attack of apoplexy. She was a native of Pennsylvania, aged 58 years.

William Volkmar.

PUERTO CABELLO (Venezuela) April 20.—William Volkmar, United States Consul here, died yesterday.

Storey A. Weaver.

WESTFIELD (Mass.) April 20.—Storey A. Weaver, author of the Weaver system of sight reading in music which is in general use in the public schools, died here today.

Mrs. Sarah Jane Lippincott.

NEW ROCHELLE (N. Y.) April 20.—Mrs. Sarah Jane Lippincott, better known as Grace Greenwood, the writer of books for children, died at her home here today, in her eighty-second year.

James C. Kennedy.

NEW YORK, April 20.—James C. Kennedy, a well-known sporting man and former writer on sporting subjects died suddenly in an elevated train in Brooklyn tonight, aged 37 years. For a number of years he was partner of P. T. Powers and William A. Brady managing bicycle race meets, prize fights, etc.

A telegram has been received by Mrs. Irene Catlin of St. Louis, daughter of Daniel Catlin, from Miss Alice Roosevelt, accepting Miss Catlin's invitation to be her guest during the latter part of May, and to attend the World's Fair.

MEETING IN JERUSALEM.

Eight Hundred Americans at World's Sunday-School Convention.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

JERUSALEM, April 13.—(Delayed in transmission.)—The world's fourth Sunday-school convention opened today in a huge tent outside Herod's gate. Archdeacon Sinclair delivered the opening sermon, taking for his text Matthew xxi:15. The attendance included 800 Americans and 500 British. Many other delegates from all quarters of the globe were present. E. K. Warren has been elected president of the convention. Numerous Turkish officials and Greek, Armenian, Roman Catholic, Jewish and other priests are honored guests of the delegates.

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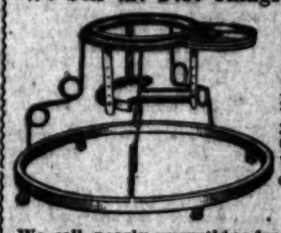

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Mellin's Food	40c, 75c
Paine's Celery Compound	50c, $1.00
Listerine, reg. $1.00, cut price	75c
Scott's Emulsion, reg. $1.00, cut price	75c
Hunyadi Water	25c
Syrup Tar and Wild Cherry	25c

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HORSES FOR JAPAN
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[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
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PERRY MEMORIAL.
MARQUIS ITO'S TRIBUTE.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
TOKIO, April 20.—Marquis Ito
contributed ¥750 to the P
morial relief fund. In a lette
companying the contribution the
said:

"Permit me to express my war
sympathy in this work, which will
surely perpetuate the name of
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will carry home to every one of
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The Perry memorial relief fund
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the destitute families of Japan
sailors and soldiers. A number
prominent Japanese and Americ
subscribed to the fund as soon as t
movement was organized.

RECEIVED BY EMPRESS.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
TOKIO, April 20.—The Empress
was received in audience today M
Boyd C. Griscom, wife of the Amer
Minister to Japan, and Mr
Frederic Bronson of New York.

HONORS HANNA FOR THIRD TIME
COLUMBUS (O.) April 20.—For t
second time since the present session be
of the Legislature today paused
work to pay honor to the late Ma
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RUSSIANS' STAND.

TO BE MADE AT THE YALU.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Times' military correspondent says: "So far as one can judge by telegrams from the seat of war, the Russians mean to make a stand at the Yalu, and if this is the case they will speedily require all their skill and resolution to maintain such a dangerously advanced position. The Russian calculation is that the Japanese transports only allow the landing of 45,000 men each trip, and that a fortnight must intervene before a second contingent reaches the scene of action. It is thought that if the Japanese land in the north of the Liao Tung Gulf, Gen. Kouropatkin has sufficient men to fall upon the Japanese as landed and overwhelm them before steamers can bring up reinforcements, and as regards intervention by the army under Gen. Kuroki, they consider that he will take a month to cover the distance between the Yalu and the Liao Tung Gulf.

"They, therefore, feel confident that from his central position at Liao Yang, Gen. Kouropatkin will be able to act in either direction with the weight of his whole field army against the isolated fragments of Japanese.

"It may perhaps occur to some Russians that most things obvious to us, and that the chances are that the enemy will accept all the advantages, but refuse all the risks that the situation offers."

HORSES FOR JAPAN.

BEING BOUGHT IN OREGON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) April 20.—A. M. Huntley, an English stockman, from Fiji Colony, who has been in Japan for some months, is here, commissioned to purchase 10,000 horses in the Pacific Northwest to be sent to Japan. Deming explains that army agents have drained the country of available horses and that animals are required not only to take their place in peaceful avocations, but to supply remounts for the cavalry. He will endeavor to get all the horses desired in Oregon and Washington, and will locate supply depots, as was done when England was buying horses for the African war.

CHINESE SYMPATHY.

THINK THE JAPS WILL WIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, April 21.—The Birzhevya Viedomosti published this morning a letter from its correspondent at Peking in which it is said the confidence of the Chinese government in the success of Japanese arms is shown by the fact that Yang Shu, the Chinese Minister at Tokio, that the Japanese government direct the commanders of the army to preserve the imperial palaces and tombs at Mukden from desecration and destruction. The writer says that the Chinese government is in sympathy with Japan, but that it has begun to express this sympathy more cautiously. He adds that the Chinese in the United States have sent to the Peking government large sums of money to be used in the reorganization of the army and navy, and that ostensibly because of a desire to become acquainted with old Mongolian weapons, the Japanese are supplying Mongolian hunters with modern rifles.

PERRY MEMORIAL.

MARQUIS ITO'S TRIBUTE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, April 20.—Marquis Ito today contributed $750 to the Perry memorial relief fund. In a letter accompanying the contribution the marquis said:

"Permit me to express my warmest sympathy in this work, which will not only perpetuate the name of your illustrious commodore, who already is revered and beloved here, but which will also carry home to every one of us, to the poorest of our families, the traditional friendly feeling of America toward our countrymen.

"This enterprise, to a certain extent, is interpreted as an endeavor on the part of those who first introduced us to western ideals to lead us further toward a universal community and humanitarian principles. Upon these, national frontiers should fade, and they will vanish.

"I sincerely hope that this work will be crowned with unprecedented success."

The Perry memorial relief fund was opened in Tokio on March 31, upon the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of the signing of the Perry treaty by Japan and the United States. The object of the fund is to bring aid to the destitute families of Japanese soldiers and sailors. A number of prominent Japanese and Americans contributed to the fund as soon as the movement was organized.

RECEIVED BY EMPRESS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, April 20.—The Empress of Japan received in audience today Mrs. Luther C. Griscom, wife of the American Minister to Japan, and Mrs. Egbert Bronson of New York.

MARK HANNA FOR THIRD TIME.

COLUMBUS (O.) April 20.—For the first time since the present session began, the Legislature today paused in its work to pay honor to the late Marcus A. Hanna, when the two branches met in joint session to hold formal memorial exercises. The joint session was held in the hall of the House, and Gov. Warren G. Harding presided. Gov. Herrick made a few introductory remarks. The memorial address was delivered by Senator Joseph Dick.

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HOW TO HOMESTEAD LAND IN NEVADA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RENO (Nev.) April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] L. H. Taylor, chief engineer in charge of the government reclamation project in Nevada, has just issued a bulletin to intending settlers, which gives information that has been greatly sought after. The report states that the lands to be irrigated by that portion of the irrigation system now under construction, comprise about 235,000 acres situated in Washoe, Storr, Dion and Churchill counties, Nevada, being in the vicinity of Wadsworth on the Central Pacific Railroad and in Carson Sink Valley, about 200,000 acres being in the latter valley. Of this total area, 25,000 acres are within the Pyramid Lake Indian reservation, to the north of Wadsworth; about 75,000 acres, including railroad lands, are in private ownership, and the remainder, 140,000 acres, belong to the public domain. Of this latter about 90,000 acres are now open to entry under the Homestead Act, subject to the provisions of the Reclamation Law, which authorizes the Secretary of the Interior:

(1.) To limit the homestead entry to any area between forty and 160 acres.

(2.) To fix the price per acre that shall be charged for water, which price shall return to the government the cost of the irrigation works.

(3.) To fix the number of annual payments, not exceeding ten, and the date when the payments shall begin.

(4.) To form any acts and make all rules and regulations necessary to carry out the provisions of the law.

The lands under the Truckee-Carson project can be entered under the Homestead Act only. The United States Land Office where entries are made, is at Carson City, Nevada.

There is no charge for the land, other than the usual land office fees. All entries will be limited to from forty to 160 acres of land, depending upon location of soil, roughness of surface and irrigability. All of the public land will be subdivided into homestead or farm tracts, each of which will embrace enough irrigable land to support a family comfortably, if well and carefully tilled under irrigation. Any unmarried person over twenty-one years of age, or any head of a family, who is or has declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States, who has not used his or her homestead right, or who is not then owner of 160 acres of land, can file on any one of these tracts.

Title to the land cannot be acquired until all payments for water have been made. Residence must be established on the land within six months after filing thereon and must be continuous thereafter. The cost of water to settlers has not been exactly determined, but will probably be $15 or $20 per acre irrigable, payable in ten annual installments without interest.

It will take about three years to complete the construction of the system for the irrigation of the above lands, but water for from 25,000 to 50,000 acres will be available in the spring of 1905.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

The indictments returned by the recent grand jury at Kansas City, Kan., against nine persons charged with boodling, were quashed yesterday by Judge Moore in the United States District Court on the ground that they were improperly signed by Attorney-General Coleman.

The jury in the case of Emil Roeski, the last of the Chicago carbarn bandits, returned a verdict of guilty yesterday. The penalty fixed is penitentiary for life. Roeski was sentenced for the killing of Otto Bauder during the robbery of a saloon on the night of July 9.

Vincente Lucban, who was an active leader of the insurgents on the Island of Samar in 1900, and Cayetano Lucban, his brother, formerly secretary of the Filipino revolutionary junta at Hong Kong, have been sentenced each to five years' imprisonment for conspiracy to overthrow the government.

At Brussels, the court yesterday delivered judgment against the creditors of Princesses Stephanie and Louise, daughters of King Leopold, who sought to obtain a larger share of the late Queen Marie Henrietta's fortune than decided upon by the King, and condemned them to pay the costs of the action.

H. R. Hartsberg, dramatic editor of the New York Evening Journal, was probably fatally injured yesterday by falling nine stories into an area way of the Morton building. He had been playing billiards at the Press Club. While coming downstairs, he leaned over the banisters and lost his balance.

William A. Paxton, who headed a delegation of prominent Nebraska ranchmen, who have just returned from a visit to the President, which had for its object an extension of the time for removing fences on the range, said their mission was unsuccessful. Paxton said the President was insistent that the law against range fencing be carried out and refused to in any way modify the order.

A "community of interests," arrangement between the Metropolitan and the Belmont subway interests may be the outcome of a four-hour conference between August Belmont and Harry Payne Whitney, says the New York Tribune. Authorization for the construction of a second system of subways is expected in the near future, and surface railway men are confident that all the street railway interests in New York will be consolidated within three years.

At Berlin, Miss Edith Briqont, of New York, committed suicide Tuesday with a revolver. According to the Lokal Anzeiger, she became engaged to a German engineer, who went to New York to study. The engineer returned to Berlin and was taken sick. She arrived after his death and visited the grave, where she ended her life. The bullet pierced her heart.

The questions of improving the German consular service through the addition of expert commercial advisers and the promotion and organization of German chambers of commerce abroad has come up in the Reichstag. Herr Muench-Ferb (National Liberal) offered a resolution asking for an appropriation for a so-called advisory council of experts from the German commercial classes, to be attached to the more important of the German consulates. The resolution was adopted by a large majority.

The French bark Marechal de Noailles, which arrived at Astoria, Or., last night, reports that at Valparaiso, Chili, Capt. Annette was placed in the hospital on account of sickness.

At Quincy, Mass., yesterday 200 molders and pattern-makers of the Fore River Shipbuilding and Engine Company joined the strikers, making a total of 3000 men now idle.

Owing to the obstructive tactics adopted by the opposition party in the matter of the budget and the Army Recruiting Bill, King Carlos has dissolved the Parliament.

At Denver the third day's session of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor was taken up largely with consideration of matters of detail.

At Grand Rapids, Mich., the jury in the case of State Senator David E. Burns, charged with accepting a bribe of $200 for aiding the Lake Michigan water deal in the State Legislature, brought in a verdict of not guilty.

The United States auxiliary steamer Gloucester, station ship at San Juan, P. R., sailed for Santo Domingo Tuesday night, under orders from the Navy Department.

Berlin official reports say that the condition of winter grains in Prussia, April 15, was a shade above the average.

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LONG PIPE LINE.

Standard Company, it is Said, Plans to Lay One from Texas to New York With Branches.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, April 20.—The morning papers will announce that the Standard Oil Company has planned to lay a pipe line from Texas to New York, with branch lines radiating to the various oil fields. In this way, the entire oil production of the United States is to be handled. As an adjunct to this enterprise, refineries will be erected at convenient intervals. The cost of pumping oil is said to be about one-tenth of that of shipping it by rail.

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Good China Matting, 10c
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New China matting, yard wide, corded edges; in pretty checks; just the thing for beach cottages and bedrooms; well worth 15c; today, per yard 10c.
Sultana cottage carpets; in rich oriental designs; reversible; full yard wide; a neat serviceable floor covering worth 35c; today, per yard 25c
Union ingrain carpet full yard wide; good patterns and best of colors; never sells for less than 45c; today, only, per yard 35c
Heavy $2.50 Smyrna Rugs $1.89
For today we offer a lot of 100 heavy all-wool reversible Smyrna rugs; with fringed ends; handsome oriental patterns and colors; these rugs are 54 inches long and 26 inches wide; regular price $2.50; today only, each $1.89.
OTHER BARGAINS IN HOUSE FITTINGS
Ruffled bobbinet curtains; 2½ yards long; trimmed with wide lace edging and insertion; regular price $2.25; today per pair $1.48
Ruffled fish net curtains, pretty new patterns; 2½ yds. long and 42 in. wide; curtains well worth $1.50; today only per pair $1.19
11-4 white blankets; seasonable weight; soft fleece; pretty colored borders; regular price $1.50; today per pair 98c
Italian silk slumber robes; 2½ yards long and 58 inches wide; rich colors; sold regularly at from $3.00 to $3.50; today each $2.48
New rope portiers, large enough for 8-foot openings; excellent colors; good values at $2; Today each $1.48
Irish point door panels; made on Arabain or white net; new designs; patterns that you haven't seen before; regular price 75c today each 49c
LITTLE NECESSITIES THAT ARE PENNY SAVERS
Needle books, containing 4 papers of assorted sewing needles and 15 assorted darning needles; per book 5c
Corset steels, black, white or gray; all lengths; worth 5c; today, per pair 3c
Black or white tape; three different widths; bolts containing three yards for 1c
Dress shields, made from good quality stockinette; washable; two sizes; today, per pair 5c
Black enameled darning balls; good fancy handles; worth 5c; today, each 2c
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Black peau de soie coats; made 27x30 inches deep; box back; full sleeves; pretty cape effects trimmed with black silk braid; worth regularly $2.00 more; today each $8.98.

What Radium Is.

Prof. Sir William Ramsay, in an interview in London, says radium, instead of being a primeval substance which has been slowly disintegrating since the world began, is merely a temporary phase of matter in the unstable resting point of a series of transmutations of which nobody knows the beginning or end or meaning. Experiments made by himself and Prof. Soddy, he says, tend to show it would all disintegrate and vanish 1150 years hence. The rate of disintegration does not depend upon the quantity existent. It would all vanish whether it measured a cubic inch or a cubic mile, forming in the process other substances, the only one at present known being helium. It is obvious, therefore, that radium must now be in the course of production. If it had been an original deposit it would have disappeared long ago. It is the merest speculation to discuss how it is produced. Nobody, he said, knew, but possibly it came from uranium. That radium-bearing ores, with as great activity as those of Europe, exist in the United States has been demonstrated by Prof. Robert A. Millikan of the University of Chicago. After an elaborate series of tests upon specimens of pitchblende, the uranium ore from which radium is extracted, Prof. Millikan has found that samples from Colorado and North Carolina show radio-activity as great as the ores of the celebrated Joachimathal in Germany, from which the world's supply has heretofore been obtained.—[Chicago Tribune.

Limitations.

"Sixth floor," called out the elevator man.

"Let me get out here," said the little boy. "Is there a stairway so I can walk down to the one below?"

"Yes," the elevator man replied. "If you wanted to get off at the fifth floor, why didn't you say so?"

"'Cause I lost a 'front tooth this morning and I can't say 'ith 'loor,"—[Chicago Tribune.

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THE PARAMOUNT ISSUE.

Representative Patterson of Tennessee delivered a somewhat picturesque political harangue in the House of Representatives, a few days ago, on the subject of "Theodore Roosevelt, the Republican Presidential candidate." In the course of his remarks, Mr. Patterson declared that "The paramount issue in the next campaign will be Theodore Roosevelt," and he sought to show, by quotations from the President's writings and speeches, and by citations of some of his public acts, that Mr. Roosevelt is not the safe, conservative man whom a great nation should choose as its Chief Executive. Mr. Patterson was at considerable pains to make it appear that "in criticising Theodore Roosevelt, the candidate," he was "not criticising President Roosevelt," a distinction without, perhaps, a very material difference.

Henry Watterson, in the course of a recent editorial in the Louisville Courier-Journal, expresses substantially the same view as that put forward by Mr. Patterson. "Roosevelt, the strenuous," he says, with the usual flourish of Wattersonian grandiloquence, "with all that he implies, will be the only issue. All thoughts, all passions, all deliverances, will eddy around the President, who is an aspirant to succeed himself. He but ill suits his own party, but circumstances compel them to take him; to stand or fall with him. He ill suits the sober, conservative, solid classes who love their country, who cling to its orderly conditions, and who detest both the wastefulness of which the administration is justly accused, and the sensational and spectacular which Mr. Roosevelt embodies more than any other public man of the time, and as far as the Presidency is concerned, of any other time."

If our esteemed opponents will have it so, by all means let Theodore Roosevelt be "the paramount issue" in the coming campaign. Republicans are more than willing to accept the gage of battle thus thrown down. If their opponents cannot go into the campaign equipped with any stronger issue than that of opposition to the President on personal grounds, they would better keep out of it altogether; for they will find it an impossibility to convince the American people that Theodore Roosevelt is an unfit person to occupy the position of President of the United States.

The New York State Republican convention adopted resolutions, the other day, in which were set forth with some particularity of detail the opinions entertained by the delegates on the subject of the President's qualifications for the office of Chief Executive. These resolutions say, among other things:

"We commend Theodore Roosevelt for the fearlessness and good judgment with which he entered upon the solution of problems of social economy and government. We recognize the rare capacity he has exhibited in meeting all the requirements of his great office. We realize that his official acts have justified the public confidence which is the fundamental factor of his popularity. Accordingly, we indorse the administration of Theodore Roosevelt. Believing in his loyalty to the principles of the Republican party; relying on his devotion to the interests of American citizens, and confiding in his wisdom, courage and statesmanship, we hereby direct that the delegates this day chosen use all honorable means to bring about his nomination for President at the national convention to be held in June."

This handsome indorsement of the President by the New York Republican Convention finds an echo in the hearts of Republicans in all parts of the country. The charge that "he but ill suits his own party," but that "circumstances compel them to take him," etc., etc., is untrue. He is the first choice of the great body of Republican voters. So loyal is the support of the President, within his own party, that no voice will be raised against his nomination in the Republican national convention. "The sober, conservative classes," believe in him and admire his fearlessness, his unquestioned sincerity, his progressiveness and his aggressiveness. They know that back of these qualities is a safe and stable conservatism which will steady his hands while he holds the reins of government, and will assure the continuance of prosperity. The resolutions adopted by the New York Convention (and similar resolutions have been adopted in other States) constitute a sufficient and final answer to such shortsighted criticism as that of Representative Patterson, Henry Watterson, and others.

Certainly—if our esteemed opponents wish to make Theodore Roosevelt "the paramount issue" in the impending campaign, Republicans everywhere will be perfectly willing to accommodate them.

The ice war threatens to be a warm affair if someone doesn't get cold feet.

AN ISSUE FOR TAXPAYERS.

It must not be understood that the city printing issue which is now agitated is merely a dispute between newspapers. Far from it. It is distinctly an issue for the taxpayers.

The taxpayer is not different from any other individual in the matter of being entitled to full value for the money he expends. Therefore, when the city pays good money for the official city printing it should get the most possible for its money. This is not only good business sense (which should dominate municipal matters as well as private enterprises) but it is only common justice to the taxpayers, who are entitled to receive full value for their money. For this reason publicity, and the most effectual publicity, should be considered in the letting of the contract for the city printing. The paper which offers the largest bona fide circulation, and which submits the lowest rate per 1000 copies of circulation, should receive the contract. It is manifestly unfair to the paper with a large circulation, and manifestly unfair to the people, who are supposed to get the widest possible publicity for the city printing, to accept any bid for the work which is not based on the offered rate per 1000 copies of circulation.

But even more important than this, the city printing should not be given to any paper, no matter how low its rate, that fails to comply with the law and with the terms of its contract with the city, as the Evening Express has done. The existing contract regarding the city printing expressly stipulates that "all publications aforesaid shall be inserted in *every regular edition* of said newspaper, and not in any supplement thereof, and shall be made for the number of days that may be directed by the officer requiring said publication, and for no more;" and a clause of the specifications upon which the contract was let further provides that "all advertisements to be published under said contract shall be inserted in *every regular edition* of said newspaper issued upon the day of publication, and in the body of said newspaper, and not in any supplement thereof, etc."

In the decision of the State Supreme Court, cited by the Express in its wild attempt to save itself, Justice Harrison in his opinion distinctly states that the edition of the paper which omitted the advertisement out of which the case grew, was a bona fide "extra," duly marked as such, and issued on a legal holiday under unusual conditions. Justice Harrison's contention is undoubtedly sound in so far as "extra" editions are concerned—that is, legitimate and undeniable "extra" editions. But in discussing the provision at issue, Justice Harrison plainly states that "the proper construction of the provision is that the resolution shall be published *as often as the paper is regularly issued.*"

The Express, in vainly attempting to justify and excuse its failure to strictly comply with the terms of the contract, makes reference, unfortunate to itself, to the language of the law and contract which particularly says that the city's notices shall be printed in "every regular edition" of the paper. The wording of the law and the contract makes imperative and unavoidable an interpretation and construction emphatically opposite to that which the Express attempts to put upon it in order to conceal its neglect.

"Every regular edition"—that is it exactly; not *some* of the regular editions, but *every* regular edition. The language employed is perfectly plain, so plain that it ought to reach the limited comprehension of even the infantile twilight editor who is yearning to edit the city printing some more.

Now, what do the words "every regular edition" mean? What is the proper and reasonable construction to be placed upon them? What was obviously the meaning placed upon them by the judge who employed that language, by the official who drew the contract? Manifestly this: That the official advertisements were to be published, not in a regular edition, not in one, two or three regular editions, but in "*every* regular edition." What are the regular editions of a newspaper, within the meaning of the law? Without a question of doubt this comprehensive and precise language was meant to embrace *all* editions of a paper, save only those which may be properly described as irregular, spasmodic or extra; in short, *not "regular."* The evening papers (the Express among the number,) usually issue several editions daily; and when such editions are issued at hours approximately the same on each afternoon, they indisputably become *"regular"* editions—not irregular or spasmodic editions. All the regular editions so printed and published on each day constitute *together* the entire issue for that day, and make up *the circulation.* The exceptions are the *occasional* editions, the "extras" which are issued at infrequent intervals and at irregular hours.

If the law, the decision or the contract had used the words "regular *issues*," the obvious meaning would have been quite different; that language would have applied to publications of the paper made on different days. Not so with the words "every regular edition." Those words mean—and they mean nothing else—that every edition of a paper (an afternoon paper particularly,) which is not "extra," spasmodic or irregular, is a "regular" edition.

Such is the plain intent and meaning of the vital requirement of the contract. Why? Because the plain purpose of the law, the contract and the official contracting party, was and is *to secure the greatest possible amount of publicity for the money paid by the city for official advertising purposes.* It could not be otherwise without doing violence to common sense and common honesty.

Hence the words, "shall be published in every regular edition."

That appears from the evidence adduced to be just what the Express did not do, on numerous occasions and with a large number of city advertisements.

That shuffling concern frequently boasts in a loud double-leaded-pica-italic tone of voice that it prints "five editions daily;" and as these editions are neither "extras" nor "supplements" in any true newspaper sense, they are consequently "regular editions" within the precise meaning of the law and the contract in the case under dispute.

The inevitable conclusion, therefore, is that the current official advertising on the days in dispute, as shown by the long list published in yesterday's Times, should have been printed in every one of these regular editions. The failure to so publish that advertising constituted a plain, indisputable breach of the contract in each case named, and would have invalidated the required public notice in every instance had the matter been put to the legal test.

It will not do for the blundering editor of the city printing to claim that some one of his "five editions daily" was the "regular" edition, and that all the others were irregular, "extra" or supplemental. We will suppose, for example, that the five editions are published at 2, 3, 3:30, 4 and 5 o'clock p.m., respectively. Shall the subscribers to or the street purchasers of four of these editions, say those issued at 2, 3, 4 and 5 o'clock, respectively, be deprived of the right to read the official advertisements, and only the subscribers to the 3:30 edition, for instance, be given the right?

It is absurd to pretend that such is the meaning of the law, and impudent to claim that the law or the contract or the quoted court decision permits it.

The Express may as well gather together the fragments of its scattered mind and face what is before it in the form of an investigation by the City Council; and that body has doubtless already made up its mind that it will take no more chances in the future on awarding public printing contracts to unreliable journals only to have them violate them, to the jeopardy of public interests, with the resultant losses to the city and her citizens.

Brigham Roberts of the Mormon church told the Senate committee that the reason that he kept the fact of his third marriage from his first and second wives for three or four years was to save them embarrassment. Perhaps, too, Mr. Roberts feared that their embarrassment might take the form of rolling pins and other articles of domestic armament.

The provident Skrydloff has had both Port Arthur and Vladivostok put on his visiting cards, as he will "go backward and forward between the two places." Unless the standard of Japanese marksmanship diminishes or Russians develop a growth of wings, the new admiral's heirs may have to add a third address.

If, as stated, Tammany Murphy's opposition to Parker is based solely on the idea that if Parker is elected President, Murphy will not be permitted to dispense Federal patronage, the Tammany chief might as well be good and climb cheerfully into the music cart.

From a sentimental viewpoint, impetuous young fellows who persist in stampeding official Hearst meetings by whooping 'er up for Parker, are to be commended; but they are very likely to be left out of the count in the distribution of the bar'l's contents.

Admiral Skrydloff says he will arrive at Port Arthur "without a definite plan." Perhaps it's just as well, inasmuch as nearly everything definite enough to be seen through the sights of a 12-inch gun has been blown clear out of the water.

Mr. Bryan does not approve of the New York Democratic platform. It is not believed that the New York Democrats adopted their platform with the premeditated purpose of pleasing Mr. Bryan.

Admiral Skrydloff, who is to command the fleet at Port Arthur, says he will "surround himself with young men." Possibly, in addition to these, he might find several thicknesses of steel armor a desirable environment.

Bryan says the nomination of Parker would be "perpetrating a confidence game on the party." Now, isn't Willyum a nice fellow to be decrying the perpetration of confidence games on the Democracy!

Promotions in the Russian military service are such pleasant, gratifying affairs. Each fellow who is boosted is promptly hailed as the "country's hero and the nation's hope."

Judge Parker remains discreetly silent while his boom grows. If the Democrats were real sure that he stood for nothing at all, there would be a stampede for him.

Toronto's 'steen million dollar fire shows that Canada is rapidly reaching that high plane of perfection at which she will be eligible to annexation to us.

Now that the fellow who adulterates honey has been fined and put out of business, the way is open for the bees to form a trust and put up prices.

The northern produce dealer who bought fifty cases of hard-boiled eggs by mistake, was certainly the victim of a shell game.

The public will promise to preserve strict neutrality in the ice war if the belligerents will agree to keep it up.

Mrs. Fiske scorns us, but not to such an extent that she refuses to take our money.

Business in the indictment line seems to be fairly active with Mr. Hays of Riverside.

THE PLAYHOUSES.

Grand's Stock Company.

The Grand Operahouse is to have a stock company. The organization, which is being formed here, will be under the name of the Ulrich Company, and will open a season of fifteen weeks May 22.

Melodrama of the standard variety is to be the chief offering, though on special occasions the aggregation intends to depart into soberer fields.

At the head of the company is William Desmond, now leading juvenile of Florence Roberts, and former leading man of the Sanford players, which group of actors opened the Grand last summer. Desmond is a capable actor, quite well known here and well liked. Miss Grace Hayward of New York will be the leading woman. Gilbert Gardner will act as stage director.

Mrs. Fiske closed her engagement at the Grand yesterday with two performances. Her offerings were Ibsen's "A Doll's House" and Sardou's brilliant "Divorcons." Tonight "A Wise Woman," London comedy offering, will be given for the first time. This production will run the balance of the week.

Mason Operahouse.

"McFadden's Row of Flats," a farce comedy which is said to be a mirth-provoker, will begin a three days' engagement at the Mason Operahouse tonight. The sale of seats is on at the Mason this morning for Anna Held's spectacular of "Mamselle Napoleon," which will come next week.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

"Lark Ellen" Benefit.

Seldom has the interest been taken in a benefit or testimonial concert that was shown in the entertainment offered by Ellen Beach Yaw and associate artists last night at Simpson Auditorium for the "Lark Ellen" News and Working Boys' Home. The audience was large, though not all the seats were filled, and the golden nestegg for repairs and new furnishings is now a very substantial one. Figures could not be given with exactness last evening, owing to the number of outstanding tickets which have not yet been accounted for.

The programme was excellent, the participants were thoroughly in the spirit of the occasion, and the auditors enthusiastic in their appreciation. Opera auditors—at $1 per head—will be surprised if Miss Yaw sings to them the way she sang for her little friends the street merchants. Her numbers were selected from the widest repertoire, and exhibited her remarkable versatility in fine style. They ran from the mad scene from "Lucia" to simple, pathetic "Robin Adair," written plainly as a tender ballad. The wonderful Yaw flexibility and liquid quality on the higher registers were splendidly shown in the "Lucia" selection, given as a duet with Mr. Mead playing a flute obligato. At times it was hard to tell which was the instrumental performer—the flute-like voice or the voice-like flute. Rising in a swaying rhythm of alternate crescendo and diminuendo to the heights of the finale, the singer and her accompanist brought up to them one of the heartiest encores of the evening. In pretty contrast to this was Miss Yaw's daintiness in her rendition of the quaint "Within a Mile of Edinboro' Town."

Herbert Ritchie was one of the genuine surprises of the concert. He is a surprise perhaps only to those who knew him; the Herbert Ritchie of last night and today is not the immature youth who played to us last fall, and at a recent symphony concert. Something has given him maturity, power, breadth of conception and finer finish of tone. His rendition of the Wieniawski concerto on last evening's programme was masterly. The little brown violin seemed completely in his mental and technical grasp, and the passion of some of the long-drawn, vibrating chords was thrilling. Vigorous hand clapping could not make him respond to an encore. Players of Ritchie's excellent promise are all too scarce.

Peje Storck, Swedish giant of the keyboard, did his share toward making the two hours memorable as well. The stirring setting of Strauss's "Thousand and One Nights," done into a symphony of piano furioso by Goldstein, rushed from beneath his strong and supple fingers in quivering sheets of melodic lightning, winning the auditors instantly with convincing force and perfection of technique. Another popular number of Storck's was the well-known Liszt transcription of Senta's ballad, in "Der Fliegende Hollander."

The accompaniments were played by Miss Blanche Rogers with discriminating appreciation of the solo performer's artistic moods.

While the newsboys are thanking these musical people, and especially Miss Yaw, for their kindness, they will not forget the others who made success possible. Among these are L. Behymer, who had charge of the press work and the ticket sale; George J. Birkel & Co., who sent a beautiful Steinway piano; the board of patronesses, the newspapers and periodicals and the ushers and attendants at Simpson's.

The full programme was as follows: "Deh Vieni Non Tardar" (Mozart,) Miss Yaw; piano solo, (a) "En Courant" (Godard,) (b) "Tausend Und Eine Nacht" (Strauss-Goldstein,) Peje Storck; Mad Scene from "Lucia" (Donizetti,) (with flute obligato by Mr. Mead,) Miss Yaw; violin solo, Concerto (D minor) (Henri Wieniawski,) Herbert Ritchie; Scotch ballads, "Robin Adair," "Within a Mile of Edinboro' Town," Miss Yaw; "With Verdure Clad" (Haydn,) Miss Yaw; piano solo, "Berceuse" (Chopin,) "Poupee Valsante" (Poldini,) "Spinning Song" from "The Flying Dutchman" (Wagner-Liszt,) Peje Storck; "Three Green Bonnets" (Guy d'Hardelot,) "All for You" (Guy d'Hardelot,) Miss Yaw; violin solo, "Romance" (Sinding,) "Canzonetta" (D'Ambrosio,) Herbert Ritchie; "Caro Nome" ("Rigoletto") (Verdi,) Miss Yaw.

LABOR.

HUNGARIAN ROADS TIED UP.

Biggest Railroad Strike in World's History on.

All Employees Quit Work at the Same Minute.

More Hopeful Outlook in San Francisco Trouble.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VIENNA, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The biggest railroad strike the world has ever seen is in full swing in Hungary. It is the result of months of careful planning and has come with staggering suddenness. All railroad employés stopped at the same minute, according to secret agreement. No matter where trains were, they came to a stop when this time arrived. The result is that trains are standing at small stations all over Hungary's railroad system and others are left standing miles from their destinations, with passengers frantic but helpless.

The strikers separated all cars and drew all fires before leaving. They did the work calmly and without any violence. No trains have arrived at or started from the western terminus since this move was made and ticket offices are closed. The same conditions prevail at the eastern terminus. The tie-up is complete; no trains, passenger or freight, can cross the Austrian frontier, and should the Prince of Wales wish to visit Budapest it will be impossible, save by taking a steamer on the Danube.

STRIKE BECOMES GENERAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BUDAPEST, April 20.—Owing to dissatisfaction with the government bill for the regulation of wages, a strike has broken out on the government-owned Hungarian Western Railway. The Orient express, from Paris, due here at 11 o'clock last night, is stalled at Parkanyana, and the express in the opposite direction will be diverted to the central station, via Brueck, which part of the system is still working. The men complain that Count Tisza, the premier, has not fulfilled his promise to increase wages.

The strike has become general on all the Hungarian State railways; today the traffic is at a complete standstill. The Southern Railway, which is not owned by the government alone, managed to start trains out of Budapest today. Six trains due last night have not yet arrived. The strike committee by telegraph ordered all traffic to stop at midnight and all trains to be abandoned by their crews at the station where each happened to be at that hour.

The committee proposes to dispatch trains to places along the line for the purpose of bringing the strikers into Budapest, but no passengers will be carried on these trains.

The men declare they are willing to return to work if their demands for increased pay—which, they claim, was promised them by Premier Tisza—are granted and the strike leaders reinstated. The railroad stations are guarded by troops.

A number of strikers' delegates are arriving here to attend meetings, and have been arrested. Up to the present time, 450 railroad employés have been arrested.

The situation was discussed by the ministers and deputies prior to the sitting of the Diet. Premier Tisza declared the government could not negotiate with the strikers, but had ordered troops to be summoned to assist in the reestablishment of order and had instructed the railway and telegraph regiment to operate the railroads. An example, he added, must be made of the ringleaders of the strike.

Another batch of 500 railroad men from Fiume have been arrested. The men in the workshops of the western railroad have joined the strikers. The latter have disconnected the telegraph instruments at various points, severing communication. A band of fifty railroad men seized a train at Baltorbagy, brought it to Budapest and reported themselves to the police, who have instituted criminal proceedings against them.

MUCH INCONVENIENCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BUDAPEST, April 20.—The strike has caused much inconvenience, and it is considered doubtful if the government will be able to force the men into submission. Moreover, the opposition party in Parliament is espousing the cause of the strikers.

It was announced tonight that negotiations had already been opened between the railway administration and the strikers, with a view to a peaceful settlement of the trouble.

Hundreds of passengers suffered the greatest inconvenience, being stranded at small provincial stations, and all the freight depots are loaded with perishable property, such as poultry, eggs and dairy products. Mails can only be dispatched by the Danube steamers.

ON THE WAY TO DENVER.

MILITIA ESCORTING MOYER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MONTROSE (Colo.) April 20.—Gen. Bell and the escort of troopers en route to Denver with President Moyer of the Western Federation of Miners stopped off here long enough to partake of dinner. Moyer was given in charge of a detail of six troopers and escorted from the train to a hotel nearby. Adjt.-Gen. Bell took occasion to state that Moyer would be produced in the Supreme Court at Denver tomorrow at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. He would be accompanied only by Gen. Bell and an aide whose only evidence of connection with the military at the time would be the uniform worn by them. No side arms would be carried.

The report that the entire escort would go to the Supreme Court room and there stack arms was vigorously denied by the General, who said that such an indignity the military officials would not be guilty of.

The party will arrive in Denver at 7:30 tomorrow morning.

MORE HOPEFUL ASPECT.

ÇAR MEN MAY NOT STRIKE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—Another conference of the officials of the United Railways and representatives of the car men's union was held today, at which were present David Young, agent of Brown Bros., the New York financiers, and W. D. Mahon, president of the Car Men's Amalgamated Association of the United States. Some progress was made toward an amicable adjustment of the troubles and there is a possibility now of an understanding being reached. After the conference Young said:

"We are trying to avoid a strike. It is not to the interests of the company to have a strike any more than it is to the interests of the union or the public. The situation presents a more hopeful aspect than at any time since the start of the difficulties."

AGREEMENT A FAILURE.

SIGNIFICANT RESIGNATION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John C. Driscoll, secretary of the associated teaming interests of Chicago, and, until six months ago, a dictator in the dealings between employers and the trade unions, resigned his position today.

Coming on the eve of a threatened strike of the truck teamsters' union, an organization of 5000 team drivers, the resignation is significant of a radical change in the policy of the employers in dealing with the organized team drivers, and Driscoll's valedictory, issued today, indicates that the employers have found the joint trade agreement and the policy of conciliation in treating with trades-unionism to be a failure.

FORM EMPLOYERS' LEAGUE.

LABOR TROUBLES THE CAUSE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, April 20.—An organization of employers, the Employers' League, has been perfected at a meeting of representatives of the Building Trades Employers' Association and the associations in the metal, printing, lithographing, shipbuilding and clothing trades.

Its objects are understood to include plans by which employers' associations in all branches of industry can keep in touch with labor troubles of any kind, so that there can be cooperation in a general way if it is considered necessary.

ACTION AGAINST CARPENTERS.

"AN ILLEGAL ASSOCIATION."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. LOUIS, April 20.—Alleging that the American Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, "is a trust, an illegal association, a combination against public policy and contrary to law," a petition was filed in the Circuit Court today by four local manufacturing concerns, asking a restraining order and injunction, pending action seeking the dissolution of the brotherhood against the carpenters. The action grows out of an attempt made to unionize the plants of the plaintiffs.

STAND BY "OPEN SHOP."

HACKMEN ARE TURNED DOWN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—At a conference today between representatives of the hackmen and stablemens' union and the Hack and Stable Owner's Association, the former offered to continue at work for another year under present conditions, provided the association would remove its "open shop" cards. This request was refused. The union men were then notified that no more conferences with them would be held and that all future communication with the association must be made through the officers of the Citizens' Alliance.

Moyer Taken to Denver.

TELLURIDE (Colo.) April 20.—Adjt.-Gen. Sherman M. Bell, Capt. Bulkeley Wells, Capt. Carlile and Col. Kennedy, with a guard of seventeen troopers, departed at 8:25 this morning for Denver with President Moyer of the Western Federation of Miners, to be present at the habeas corpus proceedings in the Supreme Court tomorrow.

Garment Workers Make Threats.

NEW YORK, April 20.—Officials of the garment workers' unions declare that if manufacturers persist in carrying out the resolution favoring an "open shop," adopted a few days ago, 60,000 unionists will be called out in the eastern cities.

TO HELP WESTERN COLLEGES.

CHICAGO, April 20.—Dr. D. K. Pearsons, the philanthropist, who has just returned to Chicago from a five months' visit in the South, purposes to take a rest, after which he will enter upon a new season of giving to the young colleges of the West. Dr. Pearsons recently received a letter from Andrew Carnegie, who, although not personally acquainted with him, sent a friendly note of congratulation upon his eighty-fourth birthday celebration, containing praise of his theory of helping the small colleges.

MARCH CIRCULATION OF THE TIMES.

The following is the sworn statement of circulation of The Times for March, 1904:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss.:

Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, does solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of that paper printed and sold for each day of March, 1904, as shown by the office records, was as follows:

MARCH, 1904.

1	36,200	17	35,000
2	36,050	18	35,580
3	36,000	19	35,500
4	35,900	20	35,500
5	36,200	21	35,300
6	35,600	22	36,500
7	37,500	23	36,400
8	36,000	24	35,700
9	35,800	25	35,300
10	35,870	26	35,500
11	36,000	27	35,000
12	35,870	28	35,300
13	35,000	29	35,600
14	35,700	30	35,200
15	35,500	31	35,250
16	36,000		

Total 1,102,240

HARRY CHANDLER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of April, 1904.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN,

Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

	Copies.
The average circulation for every day of March, 1904, was	38,137
The average circulation for every day of March, 1903, was	36,711
Showing an average daily gain for March, 1904, of	1,426

The Times printed a daily average of more than 101 columns of paid advertising matter for the week ending April 16th. This was a greater volume of paid matter than was printed by any other two Los Angeles papers during the same period, and more than double the amount printed by any other single paper.

Verily the shoutings of the allied unrighteous availeth—not much.

TSI-AN'S POR...

Famous Painting of Ch... Started for the St. ... Exposition.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED P...

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It is contrary to Chinese ... to have likenesses of the ... rulers made, and the innovation ... a sensation at the Chinese ... painting of the portrait was ... and the consent of the ... obtained, by Mrs. Conger, ... United States Minister to China ... painting the portrait. Miss Carl ... in the palace with apartments ... Empress, who gave her daily ...

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, April 20.—[Special Dispatch.] At the Victoria—Mitchell, Los Angeles; at the Manhattan—Mrs. W. R. Burrows, Los Angeles; at the Marlborough, Mrs. ... Misses Jacob, B. B. Lipp... ego.

SEEN IT YET

...THE... ANGELUS

Plays like a Paderewski. So different from other

Piano Player

Doesn't sound mechanical. Only place to get one at

BARTLETT MUSIC ...

233-235 S. BROADWAY ...
Opposite City Hall.

Smart shoes for the smart set.

We carry a complete line of ... celebrated Johnson & ... make of men's shoes—... perience has taught us ... other line, at like prices ... $7 a pair), gives anywhere ... the same amount of satisfaction.

Wetherby-Kaye Shoe Co.

In Los Angeles ... at 215 South ...

SASH PINS

With warm weather ... proaching sash pins ... be a necessity with ... lady. Our line em... all of the new ... styles and the new ... ishes in sterling ... and 14 K. gold. ... ranging from $1.... $20.00. We would ... pleased to have you ... them over.

J. G. DONAVAN ...
Jewelers & Silversmiths
245 S. Spring St.

POISON ...

Poor glasses are poison to the eyes ... sent the most ... list, do not trust your eyes to one ... as such. Our reputation is ... of getting the best.

L. A. OPTICAL CO. ...
Oculists and Opticians, 319 S. ...

COUNTY OFFICES.

It is a long call to the county ele... years hence. This fall a Sup... and one or two minor officers a... elected. For all that there ar... ready smouldering fires burning... the great fight in 1906. The wise, ... ocic Republicans who intend to ... every taint of Hayseism out of R... the politics are already preparing ... work. The creatures of ... who stood with him in ... and who stood more or ... by him when his wrongdoing ... light, will be opposed at ... men in Riverside politics hence... There will be no quarter for t... and they will be pretty much alo... their fight. Men who are per... somewhat indifferent as to the fat... the members of the gang will not ... politics with the gang for fear of ... suspected. The fight, which ... sure to go with the better elemen... a place like Riverside, will also ... been into the camp of the winners.

WHO WILL BE JUDGE.

It is a remarkable thing in poli... that two years ahead men should ... with candidates to wear the ... ermine. That is what is found ... Riverside today. William Collier ... as one of the aspirants. He ... of Riverside today, so could not ... But he is named as one of ... who might lead Capt. Daniel ... for Congress. If he does it ... help him in his aspirations to ... judge, if he has any. Another na...

LARGEST ... HISTORY

THE number of ... repaired by us ... year was the ... in the history of ... house. We are ... creasing force ... watchmakers ... we have six at work now.

We are adding many ... provements, and hope to make ... this a banner year.

All watch repairing ... ed to us will be skillfully ... cuted by experts.

Satisfaction guaranteed at moderate charges.

Montgomery Bros.

Local watch inspectors Southern Pacific and Santa Fe R.R. Companies.

LOS ANGELES

TSI-AN'S PORTRAIT.

Famous Painting of Chinese Beauty Started for the St. Louis Exposition.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.S.] PEKING, April 21.—The portrait of the Dowager Empress, which was painted by Miss Kate Carl, an American artist and which is to be exhibited at the St. Louis Exposition, was dispatched today. In dispatching the portrait regal pomp was observed in order to impress the natives, who regard the departure of the picture as an omen that the Dowager Empress will not live the year out.

It is contrary to Chinese tradition to have likenesses of the semi-deities made, and the innovation caused consternation at the Chinese court. The painting of the portrait was suggested and the consent of the Empress obtained, by Mrs. Conger, wife of the United States Minister to China. In painting the portrait, Miss Carl made the palace with apartments past the Empress, who gave her daily sittings.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, April 20.—[Special dispatch.] At the Victoria, H. H. Bell, Los Angeles; at the Imperial, W. R. Burrows, Los Angeles. At Marlborough, Mrs. S. J. Jacobs, Miss Jacob, R. B. Lippman, San F.

SEEN IT YET?

...THE...

ANGELUS

Plays like a Paderewski. So different from other

Piano Players!

Doesn't sound mechanical. Only place to get one at

ARTLETT MUSIC CO.
235-237 S. BROADWAY
Opposite City Hall.

Wetherby-Kayser Shoe Co.
Los Angeles
at 215 South Broadway

ASH PINS

warm weather s... hing sash pins w... necessity with ev... Our line embrac... of the new spring ... and the new ... in sterling silv... 14 K. gold. Prices ... from $1.00 ... We would ... to have you ... view.

DONAVAN & Co.
...ers & Silversmiths
...S. Spring St.

POISON

...A. OPTICAL CO.
...PTICIANS, 229 S. Spring St.

RGEST IN HISTORY

...E number of watches repaired by us for ... year was the largest in the history of our house. We are increasing force of watchmakers — and ... at work now, ... adding many ... ts, and hope to make ... ner year. ... repairing entrusted ... will be skillfully exe... experts.

...thers manufactured ... Jewelers.

...omery Bros.,
...ANGELES

POLITICAL.

"ROOT OUT HAYS GANG."

House-cleaning Demand for Party at Riverside.

Capt. Daniels Has Nobody to Make His Fight.

Senator Talk is Confined to Bard and Oxnard.

[STAFF CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, April 20.—"The Tom Hays gang of politicians here must go." That is about the way public sentiment in this intelligent and moral community is crystallizing. Indeed it might be said has crystallized.

"Without a fight?" By no means. It will not be in a day nor in a year, but it will be eventually. Oh, no, not without a bitter fight. The fight is on now. It would be better for the gang if it would come down gracefully and quit. But it will not. The old maid said it was not so bad to be an old maid if one "could only stop wiggling." It would be better for Tom Hays's pals if they would only make up their minds to the inevitable.

The fight is going to catch men who are in no sense corrupt as well as those who are not as straight in politics as a "dog's hind leg." The people here are determined to rid Riverside of the burden of the Hays gang; fear that even where all is fair on the outside there may be a canker worm at the core. Hays was fair to look at a few short weeks ago. His outward record was all right. Besides, even if a man had an unlimited certificate from a character searching company, it is felt that the burden is too heavy for the party to carry to be loaded up with anyone who has been closely allied in politics with Hays.

Root and branch the old Hays politician graft will be removed. There is no good sense of right, too much influence, too much local patriotism in Riverside to let this taint remain in the body politic. In county and in city affairs, in the Legislature, in Congress and on the bench, wherever Haysism is found it will be dealt its political death blow.

WHO GOES TO CONGRESS?

There is Capt. Daniels, the member of Congress for the Eighth California district, a Riverside man of high standing for years past. He was put in the running, put in nomination, his campaign carried on and he elected by the direct influence of Tom Hays. He is avowed candidate to succeed himself. The captain says he must stand and seek his own vindication. But will he get it?

That is the point. Who will consent to stand in Tom Hays's shoes? So far there is not a man to come forward and make an earnest plea for Capt. Daniels. The situation is one of almost indifference. There is no hustling in Daniels. But there is no enthusiasm for him. He may get the perfunctory vote of the Riverside delegation in the Congress convention. He may get it two or even more times. But San Diego will be solid for Ward. There will be split on the surface and cold below the surface in the hope of landing Chapman. San Bernardino is likely to hold aloof until events cast their shadow before, and then this county is likely to get in the front seat in the band wagon and ride in with the crowd. Santa Barbara will be with Bowers for a time, and Ventura may go with her neighbor.

The four northern counties will line up with Smith. Smith has made a fine record in the State Senate. He has friends, plenty of them, in every county in the district. He is the best known man out for the nomination.

FOR SACRAMENTO.

Senator Caldwell wants to go back to the Senate. His opponent is John N. Anderson of Santa Ana. Anderson used to live at Corona and is well known at Riverside. Orange county has twelve votes to make a Senator, Riverside only eleven. But all the Riverside fellows will be earnest for Caldwell. Orange is more than likely to divide. Caldwell is one of the best men in the Senate when it comes to getting in the important matter of irrigation. This is supposed to have much weight in Caldwell's favor.

Assemblyman Lewis wants to go back to Sacramento, but he has a formidable rival in Miguel Estudillo. Senator Caldwell and Assemblyman Lewis opposed United States Senator George C. Perkins last term at Sacramento when he was trying to have Irving M. Scott, George Hugh Hatton, Perkins's political boss, re-elected. Lewis is working against Caldwell and Lewis, but Hatton and his purposes and ways in politics are well understood to have much weight in Riverside with the main-spring knocked out of the machine. Estudillo is making a clean, careful fight for the Assembly and is said by many to be the winner.

U. S. SENATOR.

Only two names are heard of here for United States Senator, Bard's and Oxnard's. The former has hosts of friends among the best element of Republicans in Riverside. But what can he do under the circumstances? If he would only hold up his hand, which is scarcely known here and does not have any personal interest in his candidacy.

FOR SACRAMENTO.

C. W. Philps, W. Collier, Ernest Smith, C. W. Watt, A. P. Johnson and Bert Fiddler are talked of, as likely to go to the state convention. There is apparently no one here ambitious to go to Chicago.

COUNTY OFFICES.

It is a long call to the county election two years hence. This fall a Supervisor and one or two minor officers are to be elected. For all that there are already smouldering fires burning for a red hot fight in 1906. The wise, patriotic Republicans who intend to wipe every trace of Haysism out of Riverside politics are already preparing for the fray. The creatures of Tom Hays who stood with him in political evil, and who stood more or less idly by when his wrongdoing came to light, will be opposed, at every point, in Riverside politics henceforth. There will be no quarter for them. They will be pretty much alone in the fight. Men who are perhaps now indifferent as to the fate of members of the gang will not do business with the gang for fear of being ostracized. The fight, which is so sure to go with the better element in politics like Riverside, will also drive from the camp of the winners.

WHO WILL BE JUDGE.

It is a remarkable thing in politics that two years ahead men should be put forth candidates to wear the judicial ermine. That is what is found at present today. William Collier is said to be one of the aspirants. He was a resident of Riverside today, so could not be found, but he is named as one of the men who might lead Capt. Daniels's fight for Congress. If he does it will be the last thing in his aspirations to be a judge any. Another name mentioned is that of A. A. Adair. Mr. Adair was Hays's attorney—one of them—in times past. But he is not in politics to any extent.

"I have never given any man any authority to say I am or would be a candidate for judge," he said today. "I shall make no fight for it. I am busy with my law practice. If the nomination came to me in the right way I would consider the matter very carefully."

The most earnest opponents of the old Hays gang are as earnest in their desire to see Mr. Adair on the bench. The fact that he has been a successful lawyer, well able to make his way in the world in his profession and not dependent on office for distinction and not at all a politician of the self-seeking kind, appeals all the more to good citizens who would like to see a broad-gauge, fair-minded man, and one learned in the law on the bench. The Riverside bar seems to be particularly desirous to see such a man wear the ermine, because he would shed lustre and not bring contempt on the office.

Some Corrections.

In The Times of yesterday in this department an error difficult to account for made "cinch bill" read "canal bill," and made P. A. Stanton a Democrat. Stanton is a Republican. The Democrats have trouble enough of their own. The Republican party will have to bear Phil as a burden.

LIED ABOUT IT.

E. C. Frisbee Not Held up—Told Yarn to Impose Upon His Creditors.

E. C. Frisbee of No. 1845 West First street, who reported that he was held up by two masked men a tthe corner of Vermont avenue and First street early Tuesday morning, acknowledged yesterday that he had lied about the matter and that the hold-up was simply a pipe dream."

Frisbee glibly told reporters and others that two men had demanded his money or his life, just after alighting from a car near his home, and that in order to save his life he had complied with the demand, thereby losing $45 in cash. He was particular to add, however, that the highwaymen refused to take his gold watch. The alleged hold-up was not reported to the detectives, and this created suspicion in the minds of the police that something was wrong.

Chief Hammel sent for the "victim" yesterday, and after a long talk, Frisbee acknowledged that the hold-up story was a fabrication pure and simple. He said he had invented the yarn because he was hard pressed by creditors, and he wanted to stave them off until he could get out of town.

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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.	Rain.		Max.	Min.
Boston	60	36	42	New York	64	52
Washington	62	38	46	Buffalo	58	50
Pittsburgh	58	38	42	Cincinnati	66	52
Chicago	54	38	54	St. Paul	42	36
St. Louis	62	50	42	Kansas City	54	36
Los Angeles	64	42	30	Jacksonville	90	66

*The maximum is for April 19; the minimum for April 20. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, April 20.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.02; at 5 p.m., 30.01. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 46 deg. and 54 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m.; 81 per cent.; 5 p.m., 41 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., calm; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 8 miles. Maximum temperature, 59 deg.; minimum, 41 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions. — The storm is passing East, followed by an area of high pressure entering the Central Pacific Coast, which is giving clearing weather south, and partly warm north winds. At Los Angeles .84 of an inch of rain fell during the storm, making 8.61 inches for the season. The rain was light on the southern border, .04 of an inch having fallen at San Diego, where it was still raining at 5 o'clock this morning.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair tonight and Thursday, with warmer north wind Thursday.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—Weather conditions and general forecast: The pressure has risen over the Pacific slope, and conditions are more favorable for fair weather in California. Snow is falling in Northern Arizona, and rain, with temperatures not much above, is reported in Utah. The temperature has fallen 20 deg. at Salt Lake City, and from 12 to 20 deg. in Arizona. Forecast:

For Northern California: Fair Wednesday; warmer; light northerly winds.

Southern California: Clearing Wednesday; light northerly winds; possibly light frost in the interior Thursday morning; warmer Thursday night.

Nevada: Fair, warmer, Thursday.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Thursday; light north winds, changing to fresh westerly.

Sacramento and vicinity: Fair, warmer, Thursday; light north wind.

Fresno and vicinity: Fair Thursday; light north wind; possibly light frost in morning.

Arizona: Fair Thursday and Friday; warmer.

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PERSONAL—ON TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 1904, on Broadway, between Third and Fourth sts., between 11:30 and 12 a.m., an old lady was run over by a team of horses. Would the gentleman who so kindly assisted my mother, also the lady who helped her home and others who saw this, kindly send address or call and oblige. C. W. UNGER, JR., 106 S. Broadway, room 1.

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We furnish Japanese and Chinese help. The oldest and largest agency in the city. Laborers furnished by the day, contract. Windows, house-cleaning, gardening, ranch hands.

WANTED—BARBER TRADE TAUGHT BY our new method, which enables student to earn wages while learning; the only reliable system in which this is done; our system enables student to gain actual shop experience and at the same time earn tuition bills; the learning practically without cost. AMERICAN BARBER COLLEGE CO., Incorporated, 413 N. Main.

WANTED — THOROUGHLY RELIABLE and competent office and clerical help for business firms; if you have experience and ability to fill well the position you seek, we can render you the right assistance to secure a permanent situation; Southern California and Arizona points a specialty. 215 COPP BLDG.

WANTED—UP NORTH—
Harness, saddle and collar makers, also cutters and machine hands are wanted by the undersigned. MAIN & WINCHESTER, J. C. JOHNSON & CO. L. P. STONE CO. W. DAVIS & SON, San Francisco, Cal.; A. VAN VOORHIES & CO., Sacramento, Cal.

WANTED—
JAPANESE
EMPLOYMENT OFFICE,
126 W. Ninth st.
Cooks, waiters, porters, and all kinds of help furnished.
TEL. HOME 4007. MAIN 1101.

WANTED—COMPETENT CLERKS; IF YOU have experience and are efficient in your line, we can place your record before the right firms; Los Angeles city, Southern California and Arizona points; call for terms for assistance to permanent situations. 215 COPP BLDG.

WANTED — BOOK-KEEPER, STENOGRAPHER, crockery packers, grocery salesmen, clothing salesmen, dress goods, shoe salesmen, photographer, carpenter, collector, porter, machinist, electrician, draughtsman, surveyor, man. EDWARD NITTINGER, 324½ S. Main.

WANTED—AN ELDERLY MAN WITH reference can have board and room in a comfortable country home about 10 miles from city to care for one horse and two cows, or doing chores around the place. Address R. box 16, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SOLICITOR TO SELL TO ARCHITECTS, contractors and builders; a hustler of good address; Canadian preferred; permanent position to right party; state salary or terms and wages expected. Address R, box 5, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PROMOTER WITH SOME knowledge of mining to introduce new and original method for handling our gold mining stock; opportunity make fortune; prefer parties going East. Room 409, FROST BLDG.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN, 16 TO 18, for office work, large company; fine future for one who is willing to start at small salary; good references required. Apply 325 BYRNE BLOCK.

WANTED—
JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
552 W. Sixth st., near Central Park. All kinds help furnished promptly; cooks, waiters, porters, ranch hands, house and window cleaners. TEL. MAIN 2706; HOME 4504.

WANTED—"REED'S" RELIABLE HELP, male and female. "Reed's" want milker, 9 cows, $30; solicitor, salary and commission; waiters, $20; cook, $45. "REED'S," 214 W. Second. Both 'Phones.

WANTED — MAN OF GOOD, STEADY habits, accustomed to care of horses, cow, lawn, etc.; state age, experience, reference and wages wanted. Address P, box 10, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — A POSITION IS OPEN FOR salesmen, executive, clerical and technical men paying $1000 to $5000. Call or write. HAPGOODS (INC.,) 214 Chemical Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED — MAN TO MEET RETAIL trade for manufacturing house; salary $20 and expenses weekly; previous experience unnecessary. STANDARD, CAXTON, Chicago.

WANTED — NON-UNION PLASTERERS, plumbers, carpenters. Apply by letter, stating ability. Selections will be made as to ability. J. F. PARKINSON CO., Palo Alto, Cal.

WANTED—MAN WITH $250 FOR GOOD legitimate, clean, cash business; will clear $50 per month and have good lifetime position. See WECKERLY, 632½ S. Broadway.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS, ALL-AROUND candy-maker; permanent position; easy work; state highest figure first letter. Address THE ALOHA, 216 W. Fourth st., Santa Ana.

WANTED — A YOUNG MAN WITH TYPEwriter who also is an amateur photographer, who has a camera, to work in a real estate office. See KINNEY, 103 S. Broadway, room 21.

WANTED — MARKS' EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 125 E. Second st. Both 'Phones. Second cook, restaurant, $14; second cook, small place, $12; horse cuffer, $11.

WANTED — A MAN OR BOY TO DO chores and assist in house; 3 in family; on Elysian Park car line, city. Corner BAXTER AND PRINCETON STS.

WANTED—MAN THAT HAS HAD EXPERience in organizing fraternal orders, $150 per month to the right man. Address R. box 17, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED MAN IN lumber yard to grade, tally and load wagons. CARPENTER & BILES, 119 E. 23d. 21

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS WOODTURNER and shaper hand, none others need apply. CARL ENOS NASH, 716 S. Spring.

WANTED

Help. Male.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WITH A WHEEL to work in a grocery store; must also have experience in soliciting trade. Call at 218 W. THIRD.

WANTED—BOY WITH BICYCLE TO RUN errands, with chance to learn a trade, if so inclined. GEO. RICE & SONS, 211 New High st.

WANTED—A MAN TO WORK WITH BEES; healthy place. Call after 4 p.m., 2616 HALLDALE AVE., Truxton car, W. Adams.

WANTED—COMPETENT STRICTLY NON-union concreteman; steady work. Write contractor. WM. STEWART, Palo Alto, Cal.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED PRESS FEEDer for good class of work; steady job. FRED S. LANG CO., 211 W. First st. Telephones 924.

WANTED—GOOD PRACTICAL MACHINIST; must be sober and steady; also machinist's helper. Address M, box 43, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A MAN WHO UNDERSTANDS windmill and pump work to work in machine shop near San Diego. Address R, box 1, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—RELIABLE MAN AS PARTNER by lady in profitable business. Address CLARA E. WADE, general delivery.

WANTED — TINNERS OR SHEET METAL workers (2 or 3) at once. MASON BROS., Compton. Take Long Beach cars.

WANTED—25 PLASTERERS, $4.40 PER DAY, open shop; bring at. with you. Call ROOM 47, King Blk., Denver, Colo.

WANTED — BY AN OLD-ESTABLISHED real estate firm, good hustler. Address P, box 17, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—NEAT GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. $25, $30. See party, 10 a.m., 325 S. BROADWAY, room 16.

WANTED—STRONG, HONEST BOY TO distribute advertising. Call 7 o'clock. Room 2, 206½ S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—MAN TO DRIVE PACKAGE DElivery wagon; neat, energetic, reliable. 209 E. THIRD ST.

WANTED—TEAMSTER, SALARY $60 PER month; must have $500. MYERS, 220 Johnson Block.

WANTED—MAN, EXPERIENCED, TO SET up a pumping plant. EDWARD C. CRIBB, 18 S. Broadway.

WANTED—4 MERCHANT TAILOR SALESmen. Apply SCOTCH PLAID TAILORS, 230 S. Spring st.

WANTED—COAT, PANT AND VEST MAKers. Apply SCOTCH PLAID TAILORS, 230 S. Spring st.

WANTED — BRIGHT YOUNG MAN AS runner for a new rooming-house. 254 CENTRAL AVE.

WANTED—CARRIER FOR TIMES ROUTE, East Side. Apply 133 N. WORKMAN ST., East Side.

WANTED—FEEDERS FOR JOB PRESSES. PIONEER ROLL PAPER CO., 201 N. Los Angeles.

WANTED — STRONG BOY TO LEARN blacksmithing. A. P. M'LACHLAN, 132 San Pedro st.

WANTED — WASHER AND STARCHER; also Tyler ironer. 36 W. COLORADO ST., Pasadena.

WANTED — WAITERS, $20 PER WEEK; also dinner and supper. 340 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS CABINET MAker. 137 E. SEVENTH. S. W. Braunling.

WANTED—4 CUTTERS. APPLY SCOTCH PLAID TAILORS, 230 S. Spring st.

WANTED—ALL-AROUND TAILOR, ON CUSTom coats. 313½ S. SPRING, room 2.

WANTED—UNDER PRESSER ON COATS. BRAUER & KROHN, 138 S. Spring.

WANTED — MAN WITH $400 CAMERA TO take views. Call at 1277 E. 17TH ST.

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN LEARN barber trade, free. 122 E. SECOND ST.

WANTED—3 LINE MEN, $3 PER DAY. 702 N. LOS ANGELES ST.

WANTED

Help. Female.

WANTED—FORTIN & HAWKINS.
Female Department, Ramona Block,
Spring and Third sts., Rooms 22-23.
'Phone Main 2596. Home 1477.
Cook, private family, $25; cook for boarding-house in city, $25; washer woman, $1.50 per day; seamstress $1 per day; first-class dressmaker, $2.50 per day; 3 nurse girls, $15; 25 miles in country, $25; chambermaid, city, $20; girl to assist light housework, $15; colored woman for housework; experienced mangle girl; cook for Pasonia, $30; waitress for Redlands, $25, R. and B.

WANTED—THE HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 425 S. BROADWAY.
MAIN 1899. HOME 5423.
Boarding-house cook, $35; family cooks, $25 and $30; cooks, $25; girl for general housework, 2 in family, $20; three orders, small families, $20; one for Fullerton, $25; working housekeeper, adults, country, $25; cook and upstairs work, $25; another, $15; pantry girl, family hotel, $20; restaurant, $7; hand ironer, $7 per week, room, board and fare; many places for general housegirls, and girls to assist.

WANTED—COOK, FAMILY 4, $35; TWO nurses, country, employer here, $20 and $30; cook, chambermaid, waitress, small hotel, city; $40, $25, $25; housegirl, country, $25; cook and downstairs work, Pomona, $25; housegirl, Dr. Dixon, no washing, $20; waitress, Redlands, employer here, $25. MRS. GREGG, Miss Day's office, 121½ South Broadway.

WANTED—THE HELPMATE
EMPLOYMENT OFFICE.
120 NORTH MAIN ST.
Home 9027—'PHONES—Main 3038.
Girl for housework, 3 in family, $25; girl for nurse and upstairs, $15; agents, canvassers and collectors.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED OR UNEXperienced pants finisher; also experienced pants finisher; will pay $10 to $12 a week; also pants operators; will pay $15 to $20 per week. Call at once. 712½ W. SPRING.

WANTED—A YOUNG LADY WISHING TO develope in psychic work, must be at liberty to travel and join at once; one that plays, prefered. Call room 28, HOTEL MATSON, after 10 (a.m.

WANTED — YOUNG LADY FOR REAL ESTate office; prefer one experienced in real estate work, typewriting and stenography not necessary. Address in own hand writing. Salary $20 per month.

WANTED—TO CORRESPOND WITH GOOD amateur first and second violin players who might like to join good amateur orchestra for practice and pleasure. Address P, box 28, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CAPABLE YOUNG WOMAN AS manager of baths; must be experienced; also an assistant; position permanent; profitable. PALATIAL BATHS, 443½ S. SPRING ST.

WANTED—A NEAT YOUNG GIRL TO ASsist with light housework and help care for baby. Inquire for good home and parents' clothing. Call at 719 WESTLAKE AVE.

WANTED — HEAD WAITRESS, COUNTRY, $30; chambermaids, home nights, $5; nurse girl, $15; housework, $25. MRS. KIEFFER, 231½ S. Spring, room 10.

WANTED—DRESSMAKER. THE BEST LOcation in California for an absolutely first-class cutter and fitter. Address T. S. BROWN, Hemet, Cal.

WANTED — WILL GIVE MAN AND WIFE room and board in exchange for her work at EUREKA HOUSE, corner of Third and Stephenson ave., city.

WANTED—TWO FIRST-CLASS SUIT AND cloak saleslades; one must speak Spanish; references required. Address O, box 7, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — YOUNG WOMEN TO LEARN custom shirt making; paid while learning. Apply BLUME & SPENCE, 343 S. Broadway, fourth floor.

WANTED—PRACTICAL NURSE FOR INVALid in Pasadena; strong, healthy woman required. Call 639 S. BROADWAY. Wages $40 per month.

WANTED — GIRL TO WORK MORNINGS and evenings for room and board and small wages. Address P, box 80, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A GOOD GIRL TO WORK ON custom coats; good pay. MR. A. SCHWARTZ, 254 S. Broadway, room 126, 21.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED MILLINERY makers, must be first class. Apply MARVEL MILLINERY, 341-343 S. Broadway.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL 15 OR 16 YEARS old to assist with housework; must be neat and clean; good home. 1121 W. 29TH.

WANTED — MRS. DR. SPENCER'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 121½ E. Fourth st., for women only. 'Phone James 5421.

WANTED—GIRL FOR CHAMBERWORK and help wait on table; come at once. LIVINGSTON HOTEL, 625 S. Hill st.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED VEST FINishers; steady employment. BRAUER & KROHN, 138 S. Spring.

WANTED—TAILORS ON CUSTOM COATS, ones that can make hand buttonholes. 313½ S. SPRING ST., room 2.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED HELP IN dressmaking. MRS. F. W. HEEDEL, 312½ S. Spring st. room 5.

WANTED — A NEAT WILLING GIRL TO do upstairs work and mending; sleep home. 325 S. FIGUEROA.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED PANTS FINisher and apprentices. BRAUER & KROHN, 138 S. Spring.

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST IN housework. Call 445 E. 29TH, or 'phone White 4728.

WANTED—5 EXPERIENCED SALESLAdies. Call 10 a.m., 528 S. SPRING ST. 21

WANTED — BY DRESSMAKER, EXPERIenced skirt hand. Call 529 W. PICO ST.

WANTED—

Help. Female.

WANTED—AN OLD LADY TO ASSIST IN very light housework. Call at 723 BUENA VISTA.

WANTED — A GIRL TO DO UPSTAIRS work and care for child. 1032 WESTLAKE AVE.

WANTED—AT ONCE, FIRST-CLASS SALESlady. J. T. SHEWARD, 244 S. Broadway.

WANTED—GIRL WITH EXPERIENCE TO assist in delicacy store. 326 W. SECOND.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SKIRT MAKers. Apply at FACTORY, 327 E. Sixth.

WANTED — 2 ARM WAITRESSES; WAGES $7. HOTEL TOMS, 651 Central ave.

WANTED—A GIRL TO ASSIST IN TAILORing. Apply J. KORN, 322 W. Fourth.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WAITRESS, $10 per week. 540 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—A SEAMSTRESS. INQUIRE 826 S. BURLINGTON AVE.

WANTED—

Help, Male and Female.

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO LEARN barber's trade, $10; we lead, others follow. EASTERN BARBERS' COLLEGE, 129 E. Second st.

WANTED—

Situations, Male.

WANTED—POSITION BY MARRIED MAN (40) as ranch manager or foreman; of either one; in both branches thoroughly experienced; had experience in Europe and United States. Can be taken at once. BOX 44, Santa Ana, Orange Co., Cal.

WANTED — TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ads. Ring up Press One any time of day or night and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rate 1 cent a word each insertion. Minimum charge, 25 cents.

WANTED — SOBER, RELIABLE MARRIED man, wants position nightwatchman or care private residence during summer; worked 10 years where last employed. Address P, box 34, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG MAN, 25, good bicycle repair man; can make good appearance and is willing to do anything; references. Address P, box 27, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BY AMBITIOUS YOUNG MAN, 22, fair business education, position with chance of advancement; references if required. Address P, box 30, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG MAN 25, book-keeper, cashier or office work; 5 years' experience in Chicago, strictly. All references. Address P, box 99, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY FIRST-CLASS Japanese cook, experienced in hotel or restaurant, city or country. Address WALLIE UYESUGI, 208 Alameda st.

WANTED—POSITION BY LICENSED ENgineer and machinist, thoroughly versed on gasoline engines; will go anywhere. C. E. C., 429 W. SECOND ST.

WANTED—SITUATION BY PRACTICAL gardener and florist, understands his business thoroughly; references. Address R, box 40, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TWO JAPANESE BOYS WANT A situation to do cooking and dishwashing at hotel or boarding-house. Address TARU, 240 S. Main st., city.

WANTED—WILLIAMS & MOULTON, EXcavating and cleaning of cesspools and vaults. 1328 SANTA FE AVE. Phones Red 4651; Home 5004.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER WANTS POsition, one year's experience; moderate salary; references. Address O, box 79, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—THE CARE OF A PRIVATE place for the summer; 3 years experience. Address L, box 71, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY THOROUGHLY competent and reliable book-keeper. Address F, box 24, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SITUATION; EXPERIENCED gardener, coachman; city references. Address P, box 68, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — JAPANESE CHAMBER BOY wishes a position. 621 W. SIXTH ST. Phones Home 1078. Main 1719.

WANTED—JAPANESE FIRST CLASS COOK wants a position. 621 W. SIXTH ST. Phones Home 1078. Main 1719.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN, POSITION in creamery; experienced. Address P, box 23, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION, COACHMAN OR gardener, with reference. Address P, box 31, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — 2 YOUNG MEN WOULD LIKE position of any kind. Address P, box 75, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — GOOD ALL-AROUND MAchinist wants work. Address LEAVITT, 332 Buena Vista st.

WANTED—

Situations, Female.

WANTED—SITUATION IN OFFICE OR HOtel as cashier by lady who has had no experience, but has common sense and is willing to learn. Address 1032 S. FIGUEROA, 'Phone Pico 8162.

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG SWEDish girl, experienced, for general housework; also American girl for same work. city references. 'PHONE 6833.

WANTED — BY AMERICAN WOMAN, POSition for housekeeper for widower or elderly couple; competent and reliable. Address box 77, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

WANTED—WE CLEAN WINDOWS, WOOD work, carpets, lawns and gardens; your work solicited. PETERSON, the house cleaner. 'Phone Main 2301.

WANTED—REFINED YOUNG WOMAN desires position to care for children during day from 8:30 to 5:30. Address P, box 2, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG LADY stenographer, 6 years' experience with same firm in East. 118 E. 25TH ST., city.

WANTED—WORK BY WOMAN TO GO OUT by the day, washing or house cleaning. 1047 S. HILL.

WANTED—SITUATION BY GOOD COOK, wages $30 to $35. Call at 601 W. EIGHTH ST.

WANTED

Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—SOLICITOR, OWNING OWN rig, for first-class cash grocery, coal, etc.; southeast; to man with good trade will pay salary or commission; choice of territory and good prices. No credit except you be responsible. A good reliable man can make a permanent position for himself. Apply O, box 79, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—RELIABLE SOLICITING AGENT of good address; early promotion to responsible position to capable man; state experience and references. Address J, box 3, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED LADY CANvasser for first-class position; good pay for good work. 322 W. SECOND ST.

WANTED

Partners.

WANTED — ENERGETIC MAN WITH small capital desires business connections, contracting or advertising proposition preferred. Address J, box 97, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER WHO UNDERstands teaching mandolin, banjo, guitar; good proposition; must have little money. Address P, box 82, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN FOR OFFICE IN OLD-ESTablished business; one to wait on customers, half interest $300 to right party. Address R, box 18, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER IN ESTABLISHED lumber business, $100 per month salary and profits on investment; $2000. HYNES & MYERS, 221 Johnson Block.

WANTED — PARTNER WITH $2000; GOOD paying legitimate business; one acquainted with stoves and plumbing preferred. Apply 522 S. MAIN ST., room 5.

WANTED — PARTY TO TAKE RENTAL office and run it for half the commission; good list, fine office now established. 232 BRADBURY BLDG.

WANTED — PARTNER WITH $300 OR $400, either an interest or salary given; business permanent. Address P, box 4, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FOR RATTLING GOOD BUSIness, partner with $2000 cash, to increase stock and help to work. Inquire 424 S. MAIN.

WANTED—A PARTNER; GOOD BUSINESS for right party; need some money. For particulars address P, box 87, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER BY PAINTER AND decorator contractor. Address L, box 81, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER; GROCERY; MUST have $500; must give reference. Call at 218 E. NINTH ST.

WANTED

Rooms and Board.

WANTED—IN PRIVATE FAMILY BY 2 young ladies students, the best room and board obtainable for $30 per month for both; no lunch. Give particulars. Address P, box 88, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PRIVATE FAMILY TO CARE for 12-year-old boy; country preferred; please state terms. Address P, box 79, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—

To Rent.

WANTED—FLATS IN ALL PARTS OF THE city; energetic efforts will be made to secure good tenants without delay; owners are respectfully requested to list their flats with us. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st. Tel. Main 2531, Home 1412.

WANTED—SMALL FURNISHED OR PARTly furnished flat, modern, close in, adults, permanent; rent reasonable; clean; easterners here to stay. Address P, box 42, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — FURNISHED HOUSE OF 8 OR 9 rooms in Westlake or S.W. district; must be completely and handsomely furnished. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st.

WANTED — 5 TO 7-ROOM MODERN COTtage, having good sized rooms, south or southwest; $20.00; permanent tenant, no children. Address P, box 94, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT ON PROMINENT corner, close in, with one or two car lines, furnished or unfurnished, 6 or 8-room house. Address P, box 32, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — 5 OR 10-ROOM FURNISHED house for summer or will take charge of rooming-house; experienced; good references. Address P, box 7, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED

Rooms.

WANTED—BY SINGLE MAN, NEATLY furnished sunny room, in nice neighborhood, about 10 minutes' walk from business center; private bath. Address R, box 16, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—2 FURNISHED BEDROOMS BY 2 young men. Permanent. Address R, box 4, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—

To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE REAL ESTATE. Client wants large rooming-house and lot, close to business center, for cash or Chicago improved; old property preferred, if location and price is right.

Want deciduous fruit ranch, $5000 to $6000, and one about $8000. Also one for a finely-located residence lot in Chicago. Also vacant lots, S.E. or S.W.
THORNE-HILL INV. CO.,
Home 1984. Room 311, 218 S. Broadway.

WANTED—ORANGE GROVE.
"If WE advertise it, it's so."
We have clients who wants to invest from $15,000 to $20,000 in a first-class bearing orange grove; must be good soil, well located, abundantly watered, healthy condition, bearing good quality of fruit; now our client means business, and is prepared to pay cash for a strictly meritorious proposition.
EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.,
Est. 1885. Members L. A. Realty Board.
21 216-218 W. Second st.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS PIECE OF property, south of Washington street, value not over $12,000; income property preferred. We have a client, who has a first-class ranch property at Uplands (North Ontario,) worth $5000 cash. To this he will add cash to an amount not to exceed $7000. Desirable property only considered. ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (LTD.,) Members L. A. Realty Board. Removed to Suite 304, 12-story Braly Bldg.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE A 5 OR 6-ROOM cottage in the Third Ward; must be in good condition.
G. M. GIFFEN,
Room 225, Byrne Bldg. 24 and Broadway.
Member L. A. Realty Board.

WANTED—I HAVE A $237.50 CONTRACT drawing 7 per cent. net, on a good piece of Los Angeles property which I will give for a lot or equity. Address P, box 95, TIMES OFFICE. Also one $600 on farm near Anaheim, 7 per cent. net, will put both in and some cash if necessary. R. F. DAVIS, 329 Trust Bldg.

WANTED—FROM OWNER 5 OR 10-ROOM house, east front, on car; high ground; west or southwest; not more than 17 blocks from center; price about $3000; state price and full particulars or no notice taken; no agents. Address P, box 96, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — HOLLYWOOD PROPERTY. Anyone wanting 400 acres of good level land on the trunk line of the Elkhorn and Amador railroad, close to a railroad town in Nebraska, for Hollyw

Liners.

TO LET—
Rooms and Board.

TO LET—BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED room; first-class home cooking, and private home including bath; terms very reasonable. 1006 S. HOPE. Home phone 2828. 24

TO LET—LADY LIVING ALONE HAS nicely furnished room for two with every convenience; terms reasonable; breakfast if desired. 1206 E. GRAND AVE. 21

TO LET—ROOM AND BOARD, 1 OR 2 gentlemen; private home; reasonable; 1 block from car; 1 block from Figueroa. 1231 W. 36TH PL. 21

TO LET—AT 116 S. FIGUEROA, WELL furnished room with board; fine location and service; room and board for 2. 21

TO LET—ROOM AND BOARD IN PRIvate family; reasonable to right party; home comforts. 1228 S. FIGUEROA. 22

ROOM AND BOARD. LOVELY newly furnished private home; beautiful surroundings; two private rooms. Call 728 W. 27TH ST. 21

ROOM AND BOARD IN PRIvate family; electric lights, 4 blocks from car. 1841 SAN JULIAN. 21

TO LET—
Houses.

TO LET—HOUSES. TO LET—6-ROOM, modern, 344 S. Flower st. TO LET—6-ROOM, modern, 235 N. Hope st. TO LET—6-ROOM, new, 1472 Sunset Blvd.; or will sell for $900; terms $25 cash and $25 per month. TO LET—BUNGALOW, HARLOW, 217 S. Broadway; room 125. TO LET—6-ROOM BATH, GAS AND electric; cellar heater, nice lawn; $45 cash and $45 per month. 1115 E. 64TH N. Also cheap rent Echo Park for sale; 2 lots. 1 STEER, 1000 lbs. UNFURNISHED, LOWER, FIVE-room front; gas range, laundry; new combination fixtures, etc.; if a nice cool location, this should interest you. 1 VALENCIA ST. 21

TO LET OF 3 ROOMS, NICELY FURnished for housekeeping, with sink, gas, screen; adults; $15; also 3 furnished rooms for housekeeping, very clean, $15. 1016 E. 4TH ST.

TO LET—VERY CLOSE IN, 429A TEMPLE ST.; 6-room, modern, 2-room sleeping porch, 2 toilets, bath, water and gas; $30. C. C. HUBBELL, 602 Bullard Bldg. 21

TO LET—5-ROOM, 2-STORY HOUSE, LOW rent; adapted, painted inside and out; suitable for families, close in, S. W. corner Jefferson and Boundary avenues. See OWNER, Gallery, 107 N. Spring. 21

TO LET—ON UNION AVE., TWO-STORY 7-room house, nice and clean, with all conveniences; rent $30. Inquire at 1 UNION AVE., TWO-STORY 7-room house, nice and clean, with all conveniences; rent $30. Inquire at 1 UNION AVE.

TO LET—6-ROOM, 2-STORY HOUSE, NEWly painted, papered, nicely located. Call 141 W. 21ST ST. 21

TO LET—FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, NEAR CARS; furnished; $15. WHEELER, 116 S. Broadway. 24

TO LET—FURNISHED, NEW, MODERN, 5-room house, low rent. 2724 VERMONT AVE. Phone 2903. 21

TO LET—3-ROOM COTTAGE, FURNISHED, in rear of 625 WALL ST. No children. 22

TO LET—NEW 5-ROOM HOUSE, ELEGANTly furnished, $35. 1008 E. 14th. 23

TO LET—6-ROOM COTTAGE, 925 W. SIXTH ST. 20

TO LET—
Stores, Offices, Lodging-houses.

TO LET—

MODERN 5-STORY BUILDING, NORTH BROADWAY; 110 ROOMS; COULD BE USED AS ROOMING-HOUSE AND OFFICE BUILDING. FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS—

R. A. ROWAN,
RENTING DEPARTMENT,
419 DOUGLAS BLDG.,
THIRD AND SPRING. 22

TO LET—

If you are looking for a good storeroom in a fine location and on the right terms, call and see us. We have a brand new, up to date storeroom, with a large basement, and can give a long lease on A1 place for a restaurant.

W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO.,
342-5-7 Wilcox Bldg.

TO LET—BUILDING, 40x120, PART 2-STORY, cement floor, on Banning st., with drive to First st. and space for rent on First st. frontage; suitable for warehouse, laundry, or any manufacturing business. W. H. OBEAR, agent, 401 Johnson Bldg., 254 S. Broadway.

TO LET—NEW 16-ROOM APARTMENT OR rooming house; 4 toilets, 4 baths, running water, in fact, something strictly modern; located corner Ninth and Maple; will lease to responsible party. Rent $90. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 223 S. Hill st.

TO LET—IN REAR OF 125 AND 127, FACing on Banning st., brick building, 40 by 120, with use of alley 40 feet wide from First to Banning, for laundry, storage, etc. A. J. BROWN, 441 N. Grand ave. Home Phone 5628. 21

TO LET—IN A SPLENDID CENTRAL LOCAtion, a fine upper floor salesroom, with freight and passenger elevator service; especially adapted for art goods, rugs, ornamental furniture. 347 S. SPRING ST. 22

TO LET—MODERN STORE ROOM, NO. 213 E. Ninth st., 22x60 feet; plate-glass front; heavy oak doors, thoroughly fit to date, in new building. Rent $25. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 223 S. Hill st.

TO LET—BUSINESS PROPERTY, FRONT space, ground floor, 119 S. Broadway; also two nice stores, corner, residence district, 413 and 415 per month. WOOLNER & CO., 119 S. Broadway.

TO LET—LARGE SHOW WINDOW AND space on ground floor for display of art goods or similar line; satisfactory terms and long lease to desirable tenant. 347 S. SPRING ST. 22

TO LET—STORE FOR ARTISTS OR MUSIcians; size 40 feet deep, light and elegant appointments, in quiet surroundings pleasant; satisfactory terms. STEINWAY HALL, 345-347 S. Spring st. 22

TO LET—FINE STOREROOM, VERY LOW rent, suitable for meat market, delicacy grocery, N. E. corner 12th and Olive. See OWNER, Photo Gallery, 107 N. Spring. 23

TO LET—STOREROOM IN NEW BRICK block, Hollywood; baker's oven; should be fine opening for bakery and lunch counter. P. B. CHASE, 111 N. Spring.

TO LET—MODERN STORE 40X130 FT. ON Spring st., between Fifth and Sixth, or will divide for desirable tenants. Inquire of owner, 537 S. SPRING ST. 22

TO LET—1213 W. WASHINGTON, CLOSE TO postoffice, storeroom, 20x41, living-rooms in rear; electric lights and gas. Key at GROCERY, next door. 22

TO LET—WILL BUILD HOTEL OR APARTment house on close-in lot and lease to responsible tenant. Address P. box 93, TIMES OFFICE. 24

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED FRONT OFfice, suitable for dental lawyer or real estate. Inquire 2634 S. SPRING ST., room 1.

TO LET—DESK ROOM, PRIVATE OFFICE, central; reasonable. Inquire 229 FRANKLIN ST., room 9, 8 to 9:30, 4 to 5:30. 22

TO LET—STOREROOM, 144 S. BROADWAY, 18x48. See BUSCH, THE HATTER, Second and Broadway. 24

TO LET—DESK ROOM AND DESK IN large pleasant office. Room 804, POTOMAC BLOCK. 21

TO LET—ADJOINING OFFICE WITH USE of telephone. 34, 522 STIMSON BLOCK. 20

TO LET—129 TEMPLE, STORE, FRONT or rear shop, $15; power if desired. 22

TO LET—BASEMENT, FINE AND LIGHT. J. C. NEWITT, 214 W. First.

TO LET—STOREROOM, 1%; ALSO BAKER'S oven. 2520 CENTRAL AVE. 22

TO LET—STORE FOR RENT. 231 W. FIRST ST., adjoining Times office. 24

TO LET—
Beach Property.

TO LET—AT OCEAN PARK, TO RESPONSIble adults, nicely furnished modern 7-room cottage; Steinway piano, etc.; home place; never rented before. Address BOX 79 or call at 129 Fraser ave., Ocean Park, Cal.

TO LET — 2-STORY DWELLING, FULLY furnished, accommodate 16 people. Ocean Park front, for rent from May 1 to October. For particulars, apply J. J. MELLUS, 214 American National Bank Bldg.

TO LET—COTTAGE 6 ROOMS, 344 ARIZONA ave., Santa Monica; electricity, bath, gas for cooking; unfurnished. Apply 317 ARIZONA. 22

TO LET—
Miscellaneous.

TO LET—NEW PIANOS VERY REASONable prices for the next two weeks. 613 S. HILL ST.

TO LET—MAGNOLIA ROOF GARDEN, ALhambra, Cal. See CHAS. W. WINTER. 24

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—
BY GEO. W. STIMSON,
203 TRUST BLDG.

A NEW, NOBBY RESIDENCE, 221 LOMA DRIVE; ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE STREET.

ONE OF THE MOST BEAUTIFUL LOCATIONS IN THE CITY.

FOR A MAGNIFICENT VIEW AND HEALTHFUL LOCATION THIS CANNOT BE MATCHED. ITS SPACIOUS GROUNDS AND CLEARNESS OF ATMOSPHERE GIVES IT UNQUALIFIED SUPERIORITY. EVERY ROOM BRIGHT AND SUNNY.

PANORAMIC VIEW OF CATALINA, SIERRA MADRE MOUNTAINS AND THE OCEAN AT SANTA MONICA.

HERE IT IS WARMER IN WINTER AND COOLER IN SUMMER THAN PLACES OF LESS FORTUNATE ELEVATION. FREE FROM THE SMOKE AND DUST OF THE CITY; FRESH WITH THE PURE SEA BREEZE, CHARGED WITH ITS INVIGORATING OZONE. ALL THE ADVANTAGES OF AN ITALIAN VILLA IN THE COUNTRY, PLUS THOSE OF A MODERN CITY RESIDENCE.

ALL THIS WITHOUT A CLIMB.

THE HOUSE IS UP-TO-DATE IN EVERY RESPECT, AND WELL BUILT WITH PRESSED BRICK AROUND THE FRONT PORCH.

THE FIRST FLOOR CONTAINS RECEPTION HALL, LARGE LIVING-ROOM, ARTISTIC DEN, CHEERFUL DINING-ROOM, WITH LARGE BUFFET BUILT IN; TWO PANTRIES, KITCHEN, SERVANT'S BEDROOM, AND ROOMY SCREEN PORCH WITH A PAIR OF LAUNDRY TUBS AND A TOILET. ON THE SECOND FLOOR THERE ARE FOUR SPACIOUS FAMILY BEDROOMS, AN UNUSUALLY COMMODIOUS BATHROOM, AND AN ADDITIONAL LAVATORY. THERE IS A BEDROOM AND A BILLIARD ROOM ON THE THIRD FLOOR.

A LARGE BASEMENT WITH CEMENT FLOOR. HAS INSIDE STAIRCASE, AS WELL AS OUTSIDE ENTRANCE.

COMPLETE WITH FURNACE; REGISTERS ON FIRST AND SECOND FLOORS. ARTISTIC, SPECIALLY DESIGNED FIXTURES. LATEST DESIGN ART MANTELS; HARDWOOD FLOORS; DUPLEX SHADES IN DOORS; OLD ENGLISH ART AN PLATE-GLASS WINDOWS IN FIRST AN SECOND STORIES.

LOT 50 FEET FRONTAGE AND 200 FEET DEEP TO A 20-FOOT ALLEY.

THE ELECTRIC BELT LINE ROAD IS TO BE BUILT WITHIN ONE BLOCK OF THIS PROPERTY.

IT IS LESS THAN FIVE MINUTES' WALK NORTH FROM SIXTH STREET; TWO MINUTES' WALK TO SECOND-ST. CAR LINE; 15 MINUTES' WALK FROM THE CORNER OF BROADWAY AND THIRD STS.; AND WITHIN SIX MINUTES' RIDE IN AN AUTO TO THE BUSINESS CENTER.

THE GROUNDS ON THE OPPOSITE SIDE OF THE STREET WILL BE SUBDIVIDED INTO LARGE PLACES, AND RESTRICTED TO HIGH-CLASS BEAUTIFUL IMPROVEMENTS.

THIS IS AN IDEAL "CALIFORNIA HOME," AND AT THE SAME TIME AN INVESTMENT. THAT IS BOUND TO PROVE GOLDEN, AS ANYONE CONVERSANT WITH THE LOCAL CONDITIONS THAT GOVERN THE RAPIDITY OF GROWTH, AND THE DIRECTION OF IMPROVEMENTS IN THIS CITY, WILL APPRECIATE.

GEO. W. STIMSON,
203 TRUST BLDG.

FOR SALE—
OWNER LEAVING CITY.
SACRIFICES $500.

Instructs us to sell his new, modern, 2-story, 5-room house on fine street, south, only 15 minutes from Spring and Third. Good-sized lot, fenced. Street work done and paid. House built by day's labor by the owner, who is a practical builder. Walls are beautifully tinted; woodwork extra finished; fine brick mantel; hot and cold water; extra large kitchen and pantry; large closets; plate-glass door; fine veranda.

This house has never been occupied and cannot be duplicated for less than $2500.

YOU MAY HAVE IT FOR $2000.

A BARGAIN AT $4250.

NEW, MODERN, WELL-BUILT, 2-STORY, 5-ROOM HOME.

Located in the best portion of the southwest section of the city.

Where properties are daily increasing in value. Fine streets, good car service, choice surroundings.

You can't do better than buy this modern home of 5 rooms, with polished floors, built-in buffet, basement, well constructed and finished throughout. Would consider a good lot as part payment.

FINE LOCATION. EASY PAYMENTS.

"Close in," east of Union, north of 11th, elegant 5-room, 2-story, beautifully finished, piped for furnace; hardwood floors; frescoed ceilings; mantel; screens; fenced; sewer; pay down $4250, take possession, and pay balance monthly, same as rent.

EXTRA FINE FOR $12,500.

Magnificent home near Westlake Park, facing on beautiful Wilshire boulevard, which is 100 feet wide. The grounds are very large and highly improved. The house is new and extremely modern; has 11 large, beautiful rooms. The location is superb. Here's an opportunity to get a $15,000 home for $12,500. Don't miss it.

MINES & FARISH,
404 Bradbury Bldg.
Members L. A. Realty Board.

FOR SALE—
AN UNUSUAL HOUSE.
A LUXURIOUS HOME.

One of the select, desirable, residences built for luxury and convenience. A PROPERTY FULLY WORTH THE PRICE and having the advantage of location, and architectural beauty inside and out. Solid oak and plate-glass entrance, magnificent reception hall and everything to correspond. 10 rooms, large hall on second floor, luxurious bath, large closets with built-in drawers and hat boxes, polished oak floors and hand-decorated ceilings. The lot is large, 6 S.W. corner, on Bonnie Brae, east of Union. Will sell furniture if desired. If you can afford $12,000 for a home you'll buy this. We can't do a thousand. WE ARE EXCLUSIVE AGENTS.

FREDERICK A. HOLMES & CO.,
Red 1402. Home 2342. 404 Grant Bldg. 21

FOR SALE — A GREAT BARGAIN IF TAKEN SOON.

EXTRA LARGE MODERN 7-ROOM COTTAGE, JUST FINISHED.

Owner needs money for the purpose of finishing a large apartment house and offers this fine cottage, with large corner lot, 62x120, on the corner of 46th st. and Hough ave., twenty minutes from the business center and near Wesley, McChisock and Vermont ave. car lines; large pantry, bath and screen porch; built-in buffet and bookcase; pressed brick mantel, laundry and gas, patent electric push buttons. French bevel-plate glass front door, fixtures and shades; everything complete. If you mean business and want to purchase a fine home, see owner, office 417 HENNE BLDG., 127 W. Third st. $400 to $500 cash; have party who will loan balance want cash offer. 21

FOR SALE—
DON'T FAIL TO SEE
C. C. C. TATUM & CO.
FOR HOUSES AT RIGHT PRICES.

We offer in beautiful Alvarado Terrace an elegant new and modern 8-room home of cement cellar, piped for furnace; hardwood floors, beautiful reception hall; 2 toilets; front and rear balconies; sewer, and all street work complete; for only $4500; we can arrange very easy terms; $600 under value. See us quick.

C. C. C. TATUM & CO.,
422 Laughlin Bldg.
Phones, Home 622. Main 2202. 21

FOR SALE—
$200 CASH.

$3000—6 large rooms, new, modern, polished oak floors, front and back stairs, everything beautiful, superb location; also 2 6-room houses, new, same terms. This is one of the finest buys in the city.

M. M. DAVIDSON & SON,
Room 304 Wilcox Bldg. Tel. 569.
Members L. A. Realty Board. 24

FOR SALE—
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DON'T FAIL TO
GO TO
C. C. C. TATUM & CO.,
FOR HOMES AT RIGHT PRICES.

FOR SALE—
ONLY $3400 ONLY $3600.

Buys the swellest and best-built cottage in the southwest, close to the fine homes on Adams and Ellendale Place, on a large lot; clean side of street; brand new; six large rooms, finished in select yellow pine; oak floors in parlor, reception hall and dining-room; handsome hall-tree built in, with bevel-plate mirror; swell buffet and mantel in dining-room; large bathroom, finished in white enamel, with glazed window and linen closet; convenient kitchen, with spacious pantry; 3 large bedrooms; ventilated closets; plate-glass reversible windows in front rooms. The lot alone is easily worth $1500. It's just what you are looking for, so don't delay to—

C. C. C. TATUM & CO.,
EARLY,
422 LAUGHLIN BLDG.
Phones—Home 622, Sunset Main 2202. 21

FOR SALE—

A RESIDENCE IN FLEMISH OAK.

—$6250—

A Westlake home; modern throughout; slit-edge location; a fine home with fine surroundings; downstairs finish of this modern residence is Flemish oak; the natural grain of the wood is very beautifully shown; floors are quarter-sawed oak; very handsome entrance of quarter-sawed oak with art-glass side lights; massive oak doors with fixtures of wrought iron; newest thing in electric fixtures; fine reception hall; large parlor; very cheerful living-room; beamed ceilings; old gold brick mantel with open fireplace, beamed ceilings in the dining-room and fine built-in buffet; modern, convenient kitchen; laundry tubs; fine cement basement; first-class furnace; bedrooms are all finished in white enamel and have rock maple floors; elegant bath, first-class plumbing; balcony; this place is thoroughly well-built; has a good substantial foundation; a splendid home. See owner, 1 LITHOUSE BLDG.

220-222-224 LAUGHLIN BLDG.
'PHONE MAIN 262.
HOME EXCHANGE 262. 21

FOR SALE—

$6200—$6500—$11,200.

IN THE WESTLAKE DISTRICT.

THREE "BRAND NEW" RESIDENCES, THOROUGHLY MODERN, AND OF VERY ATTRACTIVE ARCHITECTURE, WITH MATERIAL AND WORKMANSHIP THE BEST.

THESE ARE 5-ROOM AND 11-ROOM HOUSES, UP-TO-DATE IN ALL RESPECTS.

COMMISSION ALLOWED TO AGENTS.

WILL BE PLEASED TO SHOW THIS PROPERTY TO PROSPECTIVE BUYERS.

LEWIS C. CARLISLE,
HOME 'PHONE 695. 1292 ALVARADO.

$6200—$6500—$11,200. 21

FOR SALE—

S.W. CORNER RESIDENCE.

—$5400—

Very fine two-story, modern residence; splendidly located on a S.W. corner; house is finely finished in weathered oak; style of architecture is very pleasing; beautiful large front porch; handsome parlor with hand-carved mantel; brick mantel with open fireplace in the living-room; also beamed ceilings; beautiful large windows; many casement windows; all the living rooms have east front; floors are polished; paneled dining-room; very handsome built-in buffet; lighting fixtures are very fine; elegant bath; plumbing in first-class; there is a beautiful balcony upstairs leading off the bathroom; the lot is fenced, and there is a beautiful lawn; a first-class proposition.

ALTHOUSE BROS.,
220-222-224 LAUGHLIN BLDG.
'PHONE MAIN 262.
HOME EXCHANGE 262. 21

FOR SALE—

STONE AND FRAME RESIDENCE.

—$8000—

A Westlake residence with 11 large fine rooms; it is a frame house with a handsome stone front; fine large front porch; handsome oak entrance finished in Flemish oak; parlor has a very handsome hand-carved mantel; living room has a fine brick mantel; plenty of large windows throughout the house; good cement basement; there are 6 bedrooms upstairs, all with wash stands, white enamel finish with rock maple floors in the bedrooms; there is a very fine bath fitted with the best plumbing. This is a strictly modern house; built in a first-class way of the very best materials; well worth your investigation.

ALTHOUSE BROS.,
220-222-224 LAUGHLIN BLDG.
'PHONE MAIN 262.
HOME EXCHANGE 262. 21

FOR SALE — THAT BEAUTIFUL, NEW, modern home, on high, ground, midst beautiful surroundings, most desirable neighborhood; 1750 Lemoa ave., close to Washington st.; parlor and dining-room recessed; all floors polished; ceilings kalsomined, tinted in colors, interior finish Flemish oak, two instantaneous heaters, four bedrooms, yard fenced; price only $3600; a bargain.

$3200—1679 Roosevelt; 7-room, 1916 Lemoa ave.; $3100, 8 rooms, 1725 Normandie. If you are looking for a nice modern house, go and see this.

WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—

$3100—5 rooms and small barn, lot 40x172, facing two streets, on E. 23d, $700 down, balance $17 per month.

$4000—Must have $1000 cash; $1000 in monthly payments, $2900 can run long time; everything first class, 35th near Main; take lot or automobile as part.

$6500—10 rooms, modern, everything up to date, lot 74x175; Nevin tract, near Country Club; take lot or automobile as part. OWNER, 813 Byrne Bldg. 21

FOR SALE — COTTAGE NEAR CHESTER Place, only $2500; 6 rooms, 1 block Figueroa st., and four blocks from Chester Place, convenient to 2 car lines; a beautiful new 6-room cottage of Colonial style of architecture, exceptionally well built and planned in every way; the neighborhood is very high class, being built up with handsome residences on each side, where values in realty are constantly increasing. Terms, a small cash payment and $25 per month can be accepted. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 213 W. Third st. 21

FOR SALE—
FINE MAIN-ST. BOULEVARD HOME.

$4500—Worth over $5000; a beautiful 2-story 10-room house on Main st. boulevard, north of 48th st.; everything modern and up to date; must be sacrificed to close estate; rented well and fine locality; examine this soap and make offer; the corner lot at 43d and Main sts., just sold for $1800; their loss is your gain and must be sold immediately. GUS B. HILL, 125 S. Broadway. For Strong & Dickinson.

FOR SALE—

$2200, $2400, $2500, $3000.

Your choice of these houses located in Westlake district; highest ground, finest landscape view, and healthiest part of our city; to our personal knowledge, within the last month three parties have been advised by three different physicians to locate there. PERFECT ENJOYMENT OF ANYTHING ENJOYABLE, DEPENDS upon PERFECT HEALTH.

W. A. VARCOE & CO.,
217 W. Second st. 21

FOR SALE—
A bargain in a 6-room concrete mission cottage, on Temple st. near Belmont; large lot, 40x166, 40 feet wide in the rear; the house cost $2500 to build; the lot is worth $1000; the entire property can be bought for $1750, and on easy terms if desired. The number of the house is 1422 Temple st.

W. H. OBEAR,
401 Johnson Block.
254 South Broadway.

FOR SALE—$3500; A TWO-STORY FINISH residence of 11 large rooms, with all modern improvements, on nice residence street, graded and sewered; cement sidewalks, cement curb and front walk; lot 50x162 feet; large lawns, trees, shrubbery and flowers; two blocks from 6 car lines. Inquire at 125 N. MICHEL ST., or 324 N. MAIN ST. 23

FOR SALE—HOUSE OF 8 ROOMS, HALL, bath, etc., on Third st., Boyle Heights, choice location, lot 50x185; price $2750, worth $3000; also house 7 rooms, hall, bath, etc., on 37th st., close to the University, lot 45x130; price only $2650. F. A. HUTCHINSON, room 423, Byrne Bldg. 21

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD IN 10 DAYS. BY OWNER; PRETTY 5-ROOM HOUSE, 604 CORONADO. SEE INSIDE. CHEAP. EASY TERMS. DON'T MISS THIS CHANCE. G. W. BURTON.

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—WELL I GUESS YOU WOULD like to see this. On W. Ninth st. near Figueroa; if you want a comfortable close-in home and a bargain—here it is. 7-room house, 4 bedrooms, all well-built, large lot and comfortable; fine barn, large lot and only $3200. Small payment down. See JOHN C. STEDMAN & CO., Sole Agents, Red 1462. Home 2647. 406 Grant Bldg. 21

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD WITHIN SIX DAYS BY THE BULLETIN REAL ESTATE, a handsome, new, modern 8-room house, with beamed ceilings, antique doors, oak floors, very expensive combination fixtures; also a large 2-story barn, fruit trees, in fact everything of the very best, as it was built for a home; is situated on a corner 1 block west of Figueroa; unfortunate circumstances compel owner to sell this beautiful place at once for only $5000. 314 W. FOURTH ST., room 123. 21

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD WITHIN SIX DAYS BY THE BULLETIN REAL ESTATE, a 7-room modern house, lot 100x250, facing on two streets, on Pasadena ave., 6 minutes' walk from 4 car lines; owner, who is a railroad man, is called to another State and must sell in a hurry; only $2200. 314 W. FOURTH ST., room 123. 21

FOR SALE — $3500; FINE 8-ROOM RESIdence and barn, W. Adams near Grand; fine large drawers, shade trees, plate-glass windows, cement drive, sidewalks, $1500 down, $50 per month; take automobile as part. Owner, 512 BYRNE BLDG.

FOR SALE—BUY CLOSE-IN 6-ROOM COTtage on Merchant right at 7th st., for only $2200, worth more than this a mile from there; easily rented or fine for flats; no such offer will be given again. GUS B. HILL, 125 S. Broadway. Strong & Dickinson.

FOR SALE—IF YOU CONTEMPLATE building a cottage, flat or store building, I can materially assist you with suggestions, designs and estimates of cost, consultation free. N. LAMBERTH, general contractor, 434 SOUTH SPRING.

FOR SALE—2-STORY, 8-ROOM HOME, very attractive, large corner lot with beautiful lawn, good barn, want offer; will exchange for larger place, Westlake way, and pay cash difference. Owner, 221 W. 36TH, or 327 DOUGLAS BLDG. 22

FOR SALE—$3800; 6-ROOM HOUSE, SOUTHwest, new and modern; east front; large lot, choice location, every convenience; will accept $500 cash, balance reasonable terms. See owner, R. W. POINDEXTER, 209 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE—$3600; 6-ROOM HOUSE, SOUTHwest, new and modern; east front; large lot, choice location, every convenience; will accept $500 cash; balance reasonable terms. See owner, R. W. POINDEXTER, 209 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE—GOOD INCOME PROPERTY, 2 modern cottages, 5 and 4 rooms, gas, electric, lawns, flowers, shade trees, Towne ave., between Eighth and Ninth; cash, $1700. Address OWNER, P. box 100, Times office. 21

FOR SALE — 7-ROOM COTTAGE, 1438 W. 12th st., between Union and Burlington ave.; and convenient to Westlake Park, lot 50x125, for sale at a bargain and on easy terms. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 213 W. Third st. 22

FOR SALE—NEW MODERN COTTAGE, 5 rooms, gas, electricity, sewer, cellar, decorated ceilings, 1410 E. 12TH; take Central-ave. car; cheapest property ever offered, price $2500. Come and see it today. 22

FOR SALE—6-ROOM COTTAGE, NEARLY completed; 20 minutes out, beautiful location, 90x120; only $750; your own terms for few days. Room 414 or 415, JOHNSON BLDG., Fourth and Broadway. 21

FOR SALE—BARGAIN IN GOOD 5-ROOM cottage; lot 45x150, southwest; 2 car lines; only $1850; $1000 cash. See at once. C. F. W. PALMER & CO., 406 Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE — ATTRACTIVE TWO-STORY house, 7 rooms and reception hall; 855 W. 48th, corner Hough ave.; lot 45x150; price $4500; terms very easy. See owner, 349 W. 12TH. Commission to agents.

FOR SALE — 6-ROOM COTTAGE, CROCKER st., near 37th; reasonable price; values in this section increasing rapidly; a better investment. JOHN W. WATSON, 322 Trust Bldg. Phone 2190.

FOR SALE — $3250; ADAMS ST., NEW, never occupied, 7-room home, 4 bedrooms upstairs, 2 toilets; $500 cash, balance $25 per month. EDWARD C. CRIBB CO., 218 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — $2900; 5-ROOM HOUSE AND 2 large lots on East 35th st.; ½ block west of Central avenue car line; easy terms. THOMAS S. WADSWORTH, 319 and 320 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE — NEW, MODERN COTTAGE, near Huntington improvements, $2300; renting for 20 per cent., and doubling in value every 2 years. R. D. LIST, 312 Tajo Bldg.

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FOR SALE—E. 27TH ST., CLOSE TO SAN Pedro-st. electric car line; well built 4-room cottage, barn, and 2 fine lots, each 50x150, price $1450. G. C. EDWARDS, 230 W. First. 21

FOR SALE — 1427 W. ADAMS ST., A VERY pretty and artistic modern home, 8 rooms; must see to appreciate it; take an offer; must be sold. TAYLOR, 128 Broadway.

FOR SALE—W. 16TH, BETWEEN HILL and Grand ave., lot 50x120, with 6-room cottage, good location for flats, $3000. G. C. EDWARDS, 230 W. First. 21

FOR SALE—PLEASANT HOMES FOR small payments; $400 to $800; central location good. 447 S. CUMMINGS ST., opposite boathouse, Hollenbeck Park. 21

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN; BEAUTIFUL home opposite Hollenbeck Park, 9 rooms, furnished; $4000. Inquire 441 S. CUMMINGS, opposite boat-house, Hollenbeck Park.

FOR SALE — A BARGAIN; GO AND SEE IT for yourself; 2252 Central, 5 rooms, lot well planted; must sell at once; ask owner the price; will only ask cash, few days. 21

FOR SALE—NEW MODERN 4-ROOM COTtage, porcelain bath, toilet, stationary washstand; on Brooklyn ave. $1350. C. E. PENDELL, 9 Temple Block.

FOR SALE — BARGAINS IN BOYLE Heights; property to buy, sell, exchange, rent; all S. CUMMINGS ST., opposite boat-house, Hollenbeck Park. 22

FOR SALE—3626 W. ADAMS ST., A VERY pretty and artistic modern home of 8 rooms; first class; go see it. Make us an offer. TAYLOR, 128 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—LOT 50x150, 6-ROOM HOUSE on corner, near Pico, $2800. Inquire 724 RUTH AVE. Location good, house new, great bargain. 24

FOR SALE—NEW, 13 ROOMS, SOUTH, $3300; 8 rooms, $1800; 6 rooms, very close in, $3000; all income houses. WHEELER, 116 South Broadway. 24

FOR SALE—NEW 4-ROOM COTTAGE, ON Fair Oaks ave., lot 35x200, $400 cash, North Pasadena near Dakota st. See owner, 8, SOLET.

FOR SALE—6-ROOM, NEW, MODERN COTtage, large reception hall, golden oak finish, rooms large 134 E. AVE. 36, Highland Park. 22

FOR SALE — HANDSOME, MODERN, 7-room home in Harper tract; $700 st.; will take part trade. TAYLOR, 107 Broadway. 27

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN 5-ROOM COTtage, close to cars; price only $1700; terms easy. E. A. MILLER, 206½ S. Broadway. 21

FOR SALE—6-ROOM CALIFORNIA HOUSE, $300 cash, two blocks north of Downey ave. Inquire 87. LOUIS CAFE, 139 S. Broadway. 21

FOR SALE—$2350, MODERN 6-ROOM COTtage, Kansas ave., $500 cash, balance $25 month. 228 Bradbury Bldg. G. H. CLARK. 22

FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN RESIDENCE, arranged as two separate flats; Hoover district; rented. 1340 ARAPAHOE. 21

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
COME AND BE ONE OF THE FORTUNATE TO GET CHOICE PROPERTY IN EDENDALE, ALVARADO HEIGHTS, BEFORE THE RISE WHICH IS COMING ON. TAKE HOLLYWOOD CAR TO ALVARADO ST. AND EXAMINE LAKE SIDE TRACT ON BOTH SIDES OF SUNSET BOULEVARD; lots FOR LOVERS AND HOMES, CORNERING WITH NORTHWEST OF THIS TRACT IS ALVARADO PARK, BEING NORTHWEST CORNER OF ALVARADO ST. AND RESERVOIR ST.; LOTS 50x150 FEET; PRICES $250 TO $400 EACH; 1250 FEET FURTHER NORTH IS THE EDENDALE TRACT THROUGH WHICH THE GLENDALE LINE RUNS; LOTS 50x150 FEET FROM $1 TO $250, WITH 3 CORNER LOTS AT $300 EACH. HILL LOTS 125x300 FEET AT $325. CALL FOR MAPS AND PRICE LISTS.

ALSO DOUBLE DEPTH LOTS, TWO STREET FRONTS IN ANGELENO HEIGHTS, ON KENSINGTON ROAD, $600 FOR THE TWO.

M. L. WICKS,
128 HELLMAN BLOCK, SECOND AND BROADWAY. 27

FOR SALE—M. L. WICKS HAS 200 LOTS for sale on easy terms at from one hundred dollars to eight hundred dollars, in Angeleno Heights, Alvarado Park, Lakeside tract and Edendale tract; lots generally 40 x150 feet; the northwest portion has the healthiest, best climate of the city; quick access to the business portion and prices far more reasonable than other desirable parts of the city; easy terms. M. L. WICKS, 128 Hellman Blk., Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
We will sell the following real property in separate parcels or together to the highest bidder and invite bids for any or all of it. Pico and 12th sts. tract—Big acres, 274.1n feet north side of Pico st. and 274.1n feet on south side of 12th st.; 300.16 feet deep.

Alvarado Heights tract—Lots 13 and 14, block 4, corner of 12th and Burlington ave.; 127.42 feet on Burlington ave. and 90.19 feet on 12th st.

Cruzados Garden tract—Lot 7, south side of E. 17th st.; 140 feet west of San Pedro st.; 90x168 feet.

Bonita tract—Lot 9, south side of W. Washington st., 51 feet east of Rosedale ave.

Mt. Pleasant tract—Undivided ¼ interest in lots 2, 4, 10 and 12, block F.

Nadeau Orange tract—Lot 4, block B, and lot 7, block D.

Ord's Survey—North ¼ of lot 9, block 32; north side of Castelar st., 99x165 feet.

GEO. H. PIKE,
WARREN D. HUBBARD,
Executors of the estate of J. H. Jones, deceased. No. 138 W. Fifth st., Los Angeles, Cal. 24

FOR SALE—
WATTS JUNCTION TRACT.

WE HAVE JUST OPENED OUR NEW WATTS JUNCTION TRACT, SITUATED ON THE LONG BEACH ELECTRIC LINE AT WATTS STATION, RIGHT AT THE JUNCTION OF THE NEW SANTA ANA LINE. 15 MINUTES FROM CENTER OF TOWN.

PRICE OF LOTS.....$75.00 UP.
ON THE EASIEST TERMS EVER OFFERED.
$1.00 DOWN.....$1.00 PER WEEK.
NO INTEREST.....NO TAXES.
LEVEL LAND.....GOOD SOIL.
FREE ARTESIAN WATER.

CALL EARLY, SELECT YOUR LOT AND OWN YOUR HOME SITE.

$1.00 DOWN.....$1.00 PER WEEK.

GOLDEN STATE REALTY INVESTMENT CO., NO. 430 BRYSON BLOCK, CORNER SECOND AND SPRING STS.

'PHONES HOME 6661.
SUNSET MAIN 2915.

FOR SALE—
LOTS IN GOOD LOCATIONS AT CUT PRICES. WON'T GO LOW IN THE SEVERAL LOCALITIES.

$1100—Lot 80x128 to alley, N.W. cor. 21st and Bonita.

$1100—Lot 50x120, Harvard Blvd.; worth $1250.

$2200—Lot 65x130, S. Figueroa near 37th.

$1350—Lot 80x150, E. 28th, on 100-foot boulevard. (Worth $1500 spot cash.)

$850—Lot 50x150 on W. 29th near Cimmaron.

$1800—Lots 65x130, W. 36th near Figueroa st.

$650—Lot 20x162; best lot on Sunset Blvd., near Lakeshore ave.; two electric lines.

$750—Lot 50x150, Budlong near Jefferson.

$950—Lot 60x150, Little Rock near Central ave.

$450—Lot 50x135, near Central ave.; graded street; cheapest lot in south part of city.

21 B. W. KINNEY, 105 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
$2000, $2200. BARGAIN. $2000, $2200.
OF THE WESTLAKE DISTRICT.
CORNER LOT. CORNER LOT. CORNER LOT.
BETWEEN BEACON AND ALVARADO, SEVENTH AND 11TH STREETS; 66x150 TO ALLEY.

NOTHING LIKE IT IN THE ENTIRE DISTRICT; $500 LESS THAN MARKET VALUE.
SOLE AGENTS. SOLE AGENTS. SOLE AGENTS.

C. J. HEYLER CO.,
210-211-212 BRYSON BLDG.

FOR SALE—
SNAP.
$1200.
EAST-FRONT LOT.
50x132.
LAKE STREET, CLOSE TO SI

Liners.

FOR SALE—
Country Property.

FOR SALE—
5, 10, 20 ACRE LOTS.
Rich, sandy loam soil, ten miles south of the city, 4 blocks from electric railway; in the proven berry, alfalfa, pea, bean and garden district.
CALLED THE
NORTH MONETA GARDEN LAND TRACT.
A 240-acre subdivision supplied with 225 miner's inches of water, produced from a 2000-, 30-horse-power electric-motor plant; 1 share of water stock to each acre, guaranteeing a perpetual water supply.
PRICES $175 TO $250 PER ACRE.
EASY TERMS.
H. T. COFFIN. F. L. FORRESTER.
245 Byrne Bldg., Third and Broadway.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN.
We have for sale, at Burbank, 10 miles from Los Angeles, ten acres of fine alfalfa land; the soil is A-1 and 75 inches of water can be had for irrigation at a very low figure; the ground lies perfectly level; surrounding properties are $200 to $300 per acre; we can deliver the above for the low figure of $165 per acre; there is no better property in the San Fernando Valley.
ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (LTD.,)
MEMBERS L. A. REALTY BOARD,
REMOVED TO SUITE 204,
12-STORY BRALY BLDG

FOR SALE—
Washington and Thompson Improved Navels.
—$1250—ONLY—$1250—
For sale—5 acres navel oranges at Ontario, 2 years old; owner has been offered $2000 but now has to go East to see his sister now in hospital and depends on sale of this for required cash, hence this low price.
W. A. VARCOE & CO.,
217 W. Second st.

FOR SALE—SALT LAKE ROAD WILL SOON be running. For State lands in Southern Nevada, with plenty of water, at $1.25 per acre. Also ensure in the Muddy and Vegas valleys. See J. F. M'PHERRON, 402 Stimson Block, corner Third and Spring. A commissioner for Nevada in California.

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE VERY BEST stock ranches in Kings county, 640 acres, capable of carrying 200 dairy cows; has a good water right as there is on Kings River; is also good fruit land. For terms and further particulars address P. O. Box 423, HANFORD, Kings county, Cal.

FOR SALE—AT BUENA PARK, 20-ACRE alfalfa ranch, $2500 net profit yearly; 19 miles from Los Angeles, on 2 railroads, 75 inches of water, with new pumping plant, barn and outbuildings, new 5-room 2-story house. Owner, JOHN W. WATSON, 222 Pine, Bldg. Home Phone 2790.

FOR SALE—SACRAMENTO VALLEY IRRIGATED land; alfalfa, corn, fruit and vegetables, $40 per acre; easy terms; splendid opportunities. C. M. WOOSTER CO., 648 Market st., San Francisco; local agent, H. F. ELLIOT, 429 Broadway, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—160 ACRES OF LAND SIX miles from Chino, about one hundred acres good vineyard land, creek, small cabin, plenty of range for stock; price $1600. F. P. CHAFFEE, 119 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — 160 ACRES FINE LAND IN Coachella Valley, or will sell in small tracts; will take good team in part payment; this is deeded land in artesian belt. J. S. DUFF, 1258 Jefferson.

FOR SALE—30 ACRES CHOICE POTATO or alfalfa land at Burbank, with fine 12-inch well; price $70 per acre. LEO J. MAGUIRE, 222 Byrne Bldg.

FOR SALE — 10-ACRE RANCH AT RIALTO; good house and barn; 10 shares water stock; all nicely improved; close to station; $1150. C. E. PENDELL, 49 Temple Blk.

FOR SALE—BEST FARM AND FRUIT lands in California; deep soil, moisture, fine climate. Write freely. JOY & MAHER, Watsonville, Santa Cruz county.

FOR SALE—LANDS AND RANCHES IN Moddy River Valley, on Salt Lake Railroad, in Nevada, for sale. Address A, box 57, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$2000; 10 ACRES GOOD LAND 10 bearing vines and fruit trees; house, barn. MRS. STALEY, near Katella School, Anaheim.

FOR SALE—ALFALFA AND FRUIT LANDS. Free excursion. Information at A. B. SHOEMAKE CO., 126 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—ALFALFA RANCH, FLOWING artesian water, near Santa Ana. 228 Bradbury Bldg. G. H. CLARK.

FOR SALE — 240-ACRE CATTLE RANCH; $2500; fenced; fine improvements; 20 springs. MISS C. CHILDBROOK, Ventura.

FOR SALE—20 ACRES IN WILMINGTON, suitable for subdivision. Apply to H. J. MULLER, San Pedro, Cal.

FOR SALE—320 ACRES STANDING TIMBER in Washington. E. M. PENTZ, 1240½ East Ninth st., L. A.

FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—
SAN DIEGO IS BOOMING.
Mission Bay Heights, the ideal residential site. Investments in this property can be doubled in 30 days and quadrupled in six months. Lots 25x125 feet, facing 4 streets, streets 70 feet. Lots can be bought for from $22.50 to $40.00, cash or installments. Prices will be advanced inside of 30 days. The one-hundred-and-ten-dollar street lot is an assured fact, and it is understood that work will be started inside of 90 days.
MISSION BAY LAND CO.,
10 411-412 Braly Bldg., cor. Spring and 6th.

FOR SALE—FINE HOME SITE.
NEARLY AN ACRE (SEVEN-EIGHTHS.)
All kinds of fruit in bearing.
Strawberries, blackberries, Logan berries.
Vegetables, chicken yards.
Strong California house and chicken-house.
Water piped over the ground.
For sale cheap or on
ROSETTA STREET,
Between Prospect and Franklin ave.
2 miles this side of Hollywood.

FOR SALE— OR EXCHANGE IN PROSPEROUS CITIES, 8 acres, nearly all grown in town; 7-room house, sheds, etc. City water, and 20 shares of water stock; only 2 blocks from High School; will consider vacant or improved property in Los Angeles. Address box 74, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

FOR SALE—2 ACRES ON WHITTIER ELECTric line; 15 minutes from city; fine soil and water; perfectly level; price for few days, $375; easy terms. OWNER, 246 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE—$650; ONE ACRE, GOOD LAND, ½ mile from end of Pico st. car. T. J. CHAPIN, 109 S. Broadway.

HOLLYWOOD.

FOR SALE—
A GRAND OPPORTUNITY
TO SECURE A LARGE LOT
IN
HOLLYWOOD BOULEVARD TRACT.
HOLLYWOOD BOULEVARD TRACT,
THE CHOICEST RESIDENCE TRACT
IN BEAUTIFUL HOLLYWOOD,
FRONTING ON TWO GREAT BOULEVARDS,
SUNSET BOULEVARD
AND
PROSPECT BOULEVARD,
TWO OF THE FINEST—DRIVES IN
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
STREETS THROUGH THE TRACT ARE
—GRADED—
—CURBED—
AND
—GRAVELED—
AND WATER PIPED TO EACH LOT.
LOTS 50x135 FEET,
WITH ALLEY IN REAR,
AND COMMANDING BEAUTIFUL VIEW
OF VALLEY AND MOUNTAINS
WITHIN 20 MINUTES OF BUSINESS
CENTER,
ON HOLLYWOOD ELECTRIC LINE,
15 MINUTES' SERVICE.
BUILDING RESTRICTIONS
ON PROSPECT BOULEVARD, $2500,
ON ALL OTHER LOTS, $2000.
NO FLATS.
NO BUSINESS PLACES.
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THIS BEAUTIFUL TRACT IS NOW
BEING OFFERED AT SACRIFICE PRICES
TO CLOSE ESTATE OF G. W. WARNER.
TITLE INSURANCE & TRUST CO.,
ADMINISTRATOR.
J. WISEMAN MACDONALD, ATTY. FOR
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THIS IS THE GREATEST OPPORTUNITY
EVER OFFERED TO SECURE A LOT IN
BEAUTIFUL HOLLYWOOD AT PRICES
BELOW THE MARKET.
FOR MAPS AND FULL PARTICULARS
CALL OR WRITE

GOODWIN & BYNON,
OPPOSITE P. O., HOLLYWOOD.

—OR—

STRONG & DICKINSON,
235 S. BROADWAY, LOS ANGELES.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN—
We have for sale in the Ocean View tract, the choicest residence section of Hollywood, a fine lot, which can be bought at a bargain, if taken before May 1, as the owner needs money; price only $800.
ERCKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (LTD.)
Members of L. A. Realty Board.
Removed to Suite 204,
Twelve-story Braly Bldg.

FOR SALE—NEW 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, ON Chester Court, Hollywood, close to car; fine improvements surrounding; $300, $200 down, balance monthly about like rent; 8 per cent. H. J. WHITLEY, 111 N. Spring st.

FOR SALE—I HAVE A FEW CHOICE LOTS in Ocean View tract, Hollywood, at a bargain; new 5-room house, $4300. D. D. WHITNEY, 713 Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

HOLLYWOOD.

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE MOST BEAUtiful building sites in the Hollywood district, embracing about 2 acres, on a commanding knoll, surrounded by fine improvements; magnificent view of city, valley and ocean; abundant water supply at good pressure. Address O, box 9, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$250; LARGE CHOICE LOTS IN HOLLYWOOD HOMESIDE TRACT.
HOLLYWOOD HOMESIDE TRACT.
Easy terms; only 1-5 cash down. They are worth $350 to $400. ALEX. CULVER, or F. P. CHAFFEE, 119 S. Broadway.

SAN BERNARDINO.

FOR SALE—A SNAP.

SUBDIVISION OF
Lot 14, city of San Bernardino, about 11 acres finely located; a sure investment; remarkably well drained, noted as being particularly healthful and pleasant; is convenient to railroad shops and on the line of the new electric railroad; has a well-built 10-room 2-story frame dwelling, in the best shape, which is fronted by fine, well-grown cypress hedge and full-grown shade trees and palms, and is surrounded by fine bearing fruit and nut trees of all kinds. If properly managed, good living can be made by tilling the soil, or can lay off fine building lots in part or as a whole, which can be sold to good advantage when larger main is finished by new water system now building. Poor health of present owner is the reason why this offer of whole tract is now made on exceedingly good terms. Inquire WM. H. GRIFFIN, room 127, Hellman Block, 142 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
Lemon and Orange Groves.

FOR SALE — 10 ACRES, 6-YEAR-OLD LEMon grove for $8000; capable of producing $3000 a year at 1c a pound; will guarantee $800 net profit. Address F, box 9, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — 5 ACRES WASHINGTON NAvel oranges; A1 proposition; only $250 per acre; big snap. TAYLOR, 102 Broadway.

FOR SALE—
Beach Property.

FOR SALE—
SOUTH OCEAN PARK.
Formerly Short Line Beach;
South Ocean Park;
The finest beach on the Coast;
Gas, electricity, sewer and water;
The new cut-off will soon be
Running direct into South Ocean Park.
Prices from $300 up.
STRONG & DICKINSON, 235 S. Broadway.
Or office on the tract.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM COTTAGE, FURNISHed, on high lot, beautiful location and a bargain; price $900. Apply owner, 342 S. SIXTH ST., Santa Monica.

FOR SALE—OR TO LET; 7-ROOM COTtage, No. 22 Sunset Beach, Santa Monica. Apply to MRS. S. A. KENNICOTT, Santa Monica.

FOR SALE—CHOICE CORNER AT BEST beach; $600. WHEELER, 114 S. Broadway.

OCEAN PARK.

FOR SALE—BUY THIS; IT'S CHEAP.
OCEAN PARK.
CLUB HOUSE TRACT.
Two of the most desirable lots in the Club House Tract at OCEAN PARK. These lots are located between the Speedway and the electric; and will be sold for $150 LESS THAN ANY LOT IN THE TRACT. See us at once, for we only have a short option, and then the price will be raised.
FREDERICK A. HOLMES & CO.,
Rod 1452, Home 2843. 404 GRANT BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE — MY HOME, IN THE finest location in the city. CANNOT be duplicated for $15,000. It is doubtful if such a home and location is offered at any price. Lot 75x185 feet, alley, with ornamental stone wall and approaches; all modern improvements; gas, sewer and electricity; house of 10 rooms, built recently, of wood, stone and cement on stone foundation; plate-glass windows, oak floors, Flemish and weathered oak finish, walls decorated with fabricons; beautiful lighting fixtures including Tiffany and others; handsome sideboard, large light brick mantel, gas grate, large bath and instantaneous heater, furnace, laundry, two toilets, sunny rooms, fine lawn, rare plants and flowers; barn stable; a magnificent view, adjoining new and costly residences and in a gilt-edge part of the city; built for a HOME by present owner, who also owns the country. Will exchange for good country or suburban home of the cash value of $7000 to $8500, and the right place, balance part cash and mortgage. Will confer with owners only. Address P, box 4, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—WE HAVE FOR SALE or exchange 20 acres of fine soil, planted to citrus and deciduous fruits, within the electric line at San Gabriel; the ground lies perfectly level and the soil cannot be surpassed; the Alhambra electric cars pass within 5 rods of the property; 4-in pipe for subdivision and 10-ft. lots will sell readily at $250 per lot; it is clear of incumbrance, and we can deliver the 20 acres for $4500 per acre; will accept clear Los Angeles property, value $6000 to $14,000, in exchange; your money can be trebled in from 12 to 18 months.
ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (LTD.)
Members L. A. Realty Board.
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FOR EXCHANGE—240 ACRES NEAR MARIposa; fenced and cross-fenced; good improvements; all excellent tracts of 40 to 80 acres; $1200—Three well-located lots at the new town of Dolgeville.
$50,000—200-acre stock ranch in Kern county; one-third cash, balance trade.
200-acre dairy ranch near Los Angeles; very cheap at $200 an acre.
Two pretty homes in North Pasadena; vacant corner lot and cash preferred for one; something in Los Angeles for the other.
A large Pasadena lot and a new piano for a suburban business lot.
J. EDWARD KENT,
21 First National Bank Bldg., Pasadena.

FOR EXCHANGE—
For San Diego property, an elegant new, modern, 8-room house, beautiful location, southwest, choice lot, fine barn; will sell cheap or give good trade; house has two toilets, 2 mantels, hardwood floors, beamed ceilings, was built by day's wages for a home and is a lovely thing.
Also a 2500-acre stock ranch with a good 11½-inch artesian well, 300 acres in alfalfa, 7 miles from station, worth $50,000; incumbrance $10,000; want clear California.
M. W. ATWOOD, 613 Grant Bldg.
Home 'Phone 1714.

FOR EXCHANGE—COLORADO FOR CALIfornia; strictly modern brick cottage, six rooms, fine neighborhood, Denver, $3200. 320 acres, fenced, (32 acres in alfalfa, 40 acres will have 60 acres cultivation,) 4-room house, stables, cattle sheds, corrals, running water, four miles from railway station, $2000. 160 acres fenced, natural hay, ¼ mile running water, $1000.
These properties are choice and will bear investigation.
RICHARD P. SIMONEAU,
21 428 Douglas Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — 10 ACRES FRUIT LAND beside good improvements, near Colton Terrace, for lot worth $600.
$3000—I will exchange 5 acres, best corner in Toluca, good 8-room house, very large barn, fruits and flowers; premises pays well as a hotel, will assume. All exchanges on cash basis.
21 B. W. KINNEY, 305 S. Bdwy.

FOR EXCHANGE—
SEE OUR LARGE EXCHANGE LIST.

Los Angeles, suburban and country property for eastern, and eastern for California. List your exchange property with us.
THORNE-HILL INV. CO.,
Home 1634. Room 311, 218 S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Handsome residence, located 14 miles from Wall st., New York; property illustrated in October Scientific American Building Monthly. Price $45,000 cash.
Wish to exchange for Southern California realty; central business property in Los Angeles given preference. Photographs on request.
WILLIAM S. FAIRCHILD,
22 Glen Ridge, New Jersey.

FOR EXCHANGE—FRUIT RANCH NEAR Lakeside, San Diego county, Cal.; plenty of water; pumping plant on ranch, 20 acres fruit, mostly oranges and lemons, some deciduous; 20 acres unimproved, good buildings, price $15,000. Will take in Eastern farm property, balance cash. Address P. O. box 561, Citra.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—12-ROOM, NEW, MODern stone residence, No. 1611 Palmer ave., Pueblo, Colo.; 9 rooms, modern, 7½-story, slate roof; residence on Belleview ave., Hartwell, O., for property of the same class in Los Angeles or San Diego. Address Owner, 214 E. OCEAN PARK AVE., Long Beach.

FOR EXCHANGE — PROFITABLE OREGON ranch.
Good house and out buildings, growing up. Well stocked, machinery, plenty of water. Near to school and P. O. 121 acres, ($1000.) Temporary office, No. 9, 445½ S. SPRING ST.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$200,000—CLEAR, ELEGANT HOTEL, NEW HAMPSHIRE, FOR CALIFORNIA. WHAT HAVE YOU?
THORNE-HILL INV. CO.,
HOME 1634. ROOM 311, 218 S. BROADWAY.

FOR EXCHANGE — NEW 6-ROOM COTtage, Queen Anne style; large improved lot, 40x155; close to church, postoffice and 5c fare limit; located near Hollywood; price $1500; equity $1000 for small country place. MRS. SOPHIE CONKLIN, Prospect Park, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—
I make a specialty of exchanging real estate, particularly California for eastern. Member L. A. C. W. CONWAY, Realty Board. 204-5 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—I WANT SOME GOOD residence lots in Westlake district, and will trade some fine, new, income flats, close in, for them. OWNER, 310 Laughlin Bldg. Home 1961, West 26.

FOR EXCHANGE — GOOD 5-ROOM COTtage; clear of incumbrance; value $1800; will take $1000 in cash and balance in good land, rooming-house or eastern property. Owner, 340½ S. SPRING.

FOR EXCHANGE—FLATS AND STORES on Central ave. near Ninth st.; rents $110; want larger flats west of Main st.; will pay cash difference or assume. WERNER & CO., 107 N. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE — OR SALE, 60 ACRES suitable for grapes, located about one mile from S. P. R.R., near Italian vineyard, San Bernardino county. G. W. PHELON, 116 S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—COUNTRY PROPERTY. Large or small ranches for eastern or vice versa; some choice deals. See me at 413 Grant Bldg. 'Phone 1714. M. W. ATWOOD.

FOR EXCHANGE—ONE 12-ROOM RESIdence, fine; 7-room, near car. We are ready to trade. Let us see what you have? C. W. STEWART, 433 Douglas Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—$2000 WALNUT GROVE for lot or house in Westlake district; will pay difference. ROBERT MARSH & CO., 536 Douglas Block.

FOR EXCHANGE—PETERS & WEBSTER, 215-17 Laughlin Bldg., will sell or exchange your property; large list to select from.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXchange your property. Office 238 and 240, BEN WHITE BLOCK. Second and Spring.

FOR EXCHANGE—20-ACRE CHOICE ORange grove, $20,000; want city or San Diego. WHEELER, owner, 114 S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—F. M. SIMPSON'S CO., 343-4 Bradbury Bldg., real estate exchanged. Send for free descriptive booklet.

FOR EXCHANGE — 40 ACRES OF GOOD fruit land an first mortgage on cottage. A. MILLER, 204½ S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE — FINELY IMPROVED orange grove for eastern. HINES & MYERS, 221 Johnson Block.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR EXCHANGES CALL on A. RAND, 8. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—LUMBER AND BUILDING MAterial; at our cut prices; no combine for us; sash, doors, window frames, sash weights; hardware, paint (all kinds); some one pieces redwood, 12x and 1x8, $16; 2x6-8-10, and boards, $17; pine rustic, flooring and ceiling, all lengths, only $22 per thousand; clear redwood, 1x12, $30; 1x8, $25; 2x6-8-10, $15; 1500 new colonial doors, all sizes, only $1.50; 10 per cent. off to dealers; best mixed paints, only $1.25. WHITING'S Ninth and Maple.

FOR SALE—

LINOTYPING.
LINOTYPING FOR THE TRADE.

LINOTYPING.
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA PRINTING CO.,
305 North Broadway.

FOR SALE—ELATERITE ROOFING costs less than shingles, never needs painting, used instead of shingles and gravel, metal tile or slate; the best for roofs, gardens or warehouse floors; sold on merit and guaranteed. ELATERITE ROOFING CO.,
401 Byrne Bldg., cor. Third.

FOR SALE — CHEAP; A GRAND AMERIcan eagle; beautiful great blue heron; deer, antelope; ducks, etc.; mounted by our world's greatest artists; just the thing for nice front hall, library, dining or parlor room; also heavy solid black walnut bedroom set; cost $250; also pier mirror, both best French plate glass. 'PHONE EAST. 2351.

FOR SALE—OR TRADE; ONE OF THE best Mission sideboards ever made; hand carved and something very fine; nearly new; will sell cheap for cash or trade for diamond; if you wish a bargain call at once. 'Phone Main 1.

FOR SALE—WIDOW LADY FORCED TO have cash, has left at trunk store a magnificent 3-pedal Steinway upright; piano; will be sold for almost one-third of original cost; wonderful opportunity. 453 SOUTH SPRING, near Fifth.

FOR SALE — AT A BARGAIN, TO BE moved off property, store building, 20x45 ft., store part hard finished; shed kitchen, 15 feet; price $75. Inquire NORMAL BOOK STORE, 523 W. First st.

FOR SALE — COMPLETE COURSE OF steam engineering of the International Correspondence School; price $25.00. Apply 415 Allen st., just east of Long Beach tract, on Vernon avenue.

FOR SALE — CHEAP; SOME GOOD OFFICE furniture; large, weathered oak, roll top desk, revolving chair, new Remington typewriter, desk, etc. ROOM 126, Bryson Block.

FOR SALE — DIEBOLD SAFE, 2 FT. 2IN.; contains jewelers' inner strong box; all in good condition; a bargain. Inquire MORCHANT'S TAILORS, 113 S. Spring.

FOR SALE — 7000 ROLLS WALL PAPER, houses painted, varnished, papered, at cost of material and labor. CHICAGO PAINT CO., 1015 S. Main.

FOR SALE—DIEBOLD 2000-LB. SAFE FOR cheap; good condition. Call early. MARKS EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 125 E. Second st.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, SHOWCASES, COUNters, shelving, doors and windows. We buy and sell. Ring up James 2215 E. Fourth.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—ON SPRING wagons, buggies, etc. CARRIAGE WRECKING CO., S.E. cor. Seventh and L. A. sts.

FOR SALE—A FEW FINE SECOND-HAND vehicles at bargain prices. PARROTT CARRIAGE MFG. CO., Tenth and Main sts.

FOR SALE—$10 CASH BUYS A NEW TENT, 30x12 feet, 8-ounce duck, 5-foot wall, been up ten days only. Call 121 E. AVENUE 55.

FOR SALE—STANDARD SEWING MAchine, in good condition. 1734 DIXON AVE., Washington car; $20 cash.

FOR SALE—MEN'S ½ SOLES, SEWED, 75c; ladies', 50c. FACTORY SHOE STORE, 208 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — HOME BAKERY, CLOSE IN; price $350. Address P, box 97, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—NEAT SODA FOUNTAIN, PORcelain jars, only $85. 522 CENTRAL AVE.

FOR SALE—GO-CART, ALMOST NEW, AT half price. Apply 1029 ORANGE ST.

FOR SALE — ROLL-TOP DESK AND chair, price $22.50. 238 DOUGLAS BLDG.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF FIVE-ROOM flat, low rent. 331 W. EIGHTH ST.

FOR SALE — SIGN WRITING AT CUT rates. 204 E. SEVENTH ST.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN IN A SODA WATER fountain. 126 N. MAIN.

FOR SALE—FIREPROOF SAFE. 409 S. SECOND ST.

FOR SALE—
Furniture.

FOR SALE—$125, FURNITURE OF SIX-room house. Including piano and 2 stoves; everything in house, owner wishes to go East right away; $125 takes the whole works; will lease premises to purchasers if desired at a very low figure. For particulars, address P, box 82, TIMES OFFICE.

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Under and in pursuance of an act entitled "An Act to provide for the erection of additional buildings for the use of the State Normal School at Chico, California, to furnish the same, and making an appropriation therefor" (Statutes 1903, page 547,) the Board of Trustees of the State Normal School at Chico hereby invite and advertise for sealed proposals or bids, for performing the labor and furnishing the material necessary to the erection and construction of said additional building, to be done in the city of Chico and on the grounds of the State Normal School in accordance with plans, descriptions, bills and specifications prepared by Stone & Smith, architects, and give notice that contracts, based on such sealed proposals, will be let, made and entered into. Said plans, descriptions, bills and specifications can be seen and examined at all business hours of every business day from the date hereof to the date of said contract or contracts, at the office of Stone & Smith, 606 and 607 Emma Spreckels Building, 927 Market street, San Francisco, California, and a copy of said plans, descriptions, bills and specifications is also on file at the office of the State Controller at Sacramento.

Separate bids will be received, and separate contracts let and entered into, as hereinabove set forth, for each of the following parts of said additional building; including the furnishing of labor and the materials necessary therefor as required by an act entitled "An Act to regulate contracts in behalf of the State in relation to the erection of buildings," approved March 23, 1876 (Statutes 1875-76, page 427,) and the acts amendatory thereof—that is to say, for the following parts, namely:

First—For the masonry work, including all brick, stone, terra cotta and concrete work, and all necessary excavating and filling.

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Sixth—For the tinning, galvanized iron and slating work.

Seventh—For the painting and varnishing work.

A separate contract will be let for as many different kinds of work as are hereinabove specified. No bid or proposal will be received unless made on a blank form furnished by the architects, and unless accompanied by a bond of said proposer or bidder equal to 10 per cent. of his proposal or bid, and with sufficient sureties, conditioned that if said proposal or bid shall be accepted the party proposing or bidding will duly enter into a proper contract and faithfully perform his or her contract or contracts in accordance with said proposals and the plans, descriptions, bills and specifications which are hereby made a part of this notice and of any contract to be let hereafter.

Said sealed bids or proposals must be delivered to the said Board of Trustees, or to the secretary thereof, at the office of said State Normal School, in the city of Chico, State of California, on or before 7 p.m. of the 6th day of May, 1904, which is hereby designated as the time and place where said sealed bids or proposals will be opened by said Board of Trustees and said contracts let and made.

If in the opinion of said Board of Trustees the acceptance of the lowest of said sealed bids or proposals shall not be for the best interest of the State, said Board of Trustees hereby reserves the right to accept any of said sealed bids or proposals opened, as in their opinion may be for the better interest of the State, as provided by the terms of section 4 of the act entitled "An Act to regulate contracts on behalf of the State in relation to the erection of buildings" approved March 23, 1876 (Statutes 1875-76, page 427,) or to reject any or all of said bids or proposals.

For further information competing contractors are hereby referred to Stone & Smith, architects, or to the secretary of the Board of Trustees, at his office, as last hereinbefore set forth.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the State Normal School at Chico.

F. C. LUSK, President.

C. C. VAN LIEW, Secretary.

PROPOSALS FOR INDIAN SUPPLIES—Department of the Interior, Office of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C., March 21, 1904. Sealed proposals, indorsed "Proposals for beef, flour, etc.," as the case may be, and directed to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, 226-237 South Canal street, Chicago, Ill., will be received until 1 o'clock p.m., of Tuesday, May 3, 1904, for furnishing for the Indian service, beef, flour, bacon, beans, coffee, sugar, fish, tea, and other articles of subsistence; also for groceries, soap, baking powder, crockery, agricultural implements, paints, oils, glass, tinware, wagons, harness, leather, shoe findings, saddlery, etc., school supplies, and a long list of miscellaneous articles. Sealed proposals, indorsed "Proposals for rubber goods, hose, ware, etc.," as the case may be, and directed to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, 625 South Seventh street, St. Louis, Mo., will be received until 1 o'clock p.m., of Thursday, May 5, 1904, for furnishing for the Indian service, rubber goods, boots, and shoes, hardware, and medical supplies. Sealed proposals, indorsed "Proposals for blankets, woolen and cotton goods, clothing, etc.," as the case may be, and directed to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Nos. 119-121 Wooster street, New York City, will be received until 1 o'clock p.m., of Tuesday, May 24, 1904, for furnishing for the Indian service, blankets, woolen and cotton goods, clothing, notions, hats and caps. Bids must be made out on government blanks. Schedules giving all necessary information for bidders will be furnished on application to the Indian Office, Washington, D. C., or to S. Indian warehouses, 119-121 Wooster street, New York City; 226-237 South Canal street, Chicago, Ill.; 625 Howard street, Omaha, Neb.; 625 South Seventh street, St. Louis, Mo.; to Commissaries of Subsistence, U.S.A., at Cheyenne, Wyo., and St. Paul, Minn.; the Quartermaster, U.S.A., Seattle, Wash.; the Quartermasters at Sioux City, Tucson, Portland, Spokane, and Tacoma; and the Manufacturers' and Producers' Association of California, San Francisco, Cal. Bids will be opened at the hour and days above stated, and bidders are invited to be present at the opening. The department reserves the right to determine the point of delivery and to reject any and all bids, or any part of any bid. W. A. JONES, Commissioner.

LOS ANGELES GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY.

Special Meeting of Stockholders.

A special meeting of the stockholders of Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company will be held at the company's office, No. 643 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, California, on Wednesday, the 27th instant, at 2 o'clock, p.m., for the purpose of there and then considering and voting upon the proposition whether or not this corporation shall purchase all of the business, franchises and properties, as a whole, of Los Angeles Lighting and The Los Angeles Electric Companies, respectively.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

LOS ANGELES GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY.

By R. M. Adams, Secretary.

Los Angeles, Cal., April 11th, 1904.

LOS ANGELES LIGHTING COMPANY.

Special Meeting of Stockholders.

A special meeting of the stockholders of Los Angeles Lighting Company will be held at the company's office, No. 643 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, California, on Wednesday, the 27th instant, at 2:15 o'clock, p.m., for the purpose of there and then considering and voting upon a proposition whether or not this corporation shall sell, assign, transfer and convey its business, franchises and properties, as a whole, to the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

LOS ANGELES LIGHTING COMPANY.

By R. M. Adams, Secretary.

Los Angeles, Cal., April 11th, 1904.

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2324 Central Ave.

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At 10 A. M.

$1200.00 stock fine, clean, fancy and staple groceries, all shelf goods, teas, coffees, spices, flour, sugars, shelving, counters, coffee mill, oil tanks, refrigerator, scales, etc.

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On Friday, April 22, at 10 o'clock a.m. I will sell at 2727 Brighton Avenue, (take West Adams St. car,) a fine lot of household goods consisting of fine oak bedroom suits, parlor and dining room furniture, gas stove, carpets, dishes, cooking utensils, etc.

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FAVORITES FARE ILL AT OAKLAND TRACK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20.—Veterano scored an easy victory in the mile handicap, which was the feature of the card at Oakland today. Gateway was a heavily-played favorite for the event, with Soothsayer second choice. Veterano showed in front after passing the half-mile pole, and drawing away, won from Horton and Crisscross. J. Lewis, who rode Horton, claimed Veterano fouled him on the back stretch, but the judge felt Crisscross was to blame and refused to allow the claim.

The favorites fared badly, only one getting home in front. The track was somewhat heavy, especially on the inside. Whoa Bill was a 2-to-5 shot for the second race, but received a poor ride and was beaten by Riesca, a 6-to-1 chance. Rio Shannon upset calculations by taking the mile and a quarter race at odds of 12 to 1 from Mr. Dingie and Canejo. Results:

First race, futurity course, selling: Facta, 94 (McBridge,) 6 to 1, won; Young Morello, 114 (J. Jones,) 12 to 1, second; The Lieutenant, 101 (Knapp,) 4 to 1, third; time 1:14½. Cotati, Poionius, Box Elder, Waiter, Tarrigan, Bulgarian, Pruewood and Algareta finished as named.

Second race, five and a half furlongs, purse: Riesca, 105 (Knapp,) 6 to 1, won; Whoa Bill, 109 (Sec.) 2 to 5, second; Dr. Rowell, 110 (F. Kelly,) 12 to 1, third; time 1:10½. Lady Oak, Andrew Cook, Darksome, Maude Browne, Blue Eye and Chablis finished as named.

Third race, one mile and a quarter, selling: Rio Shannon, 100 (Knapp,) 12 to 1, won; Mr. Dingie, 103 (J. Jones,) 3 to 1, second; Canejo, 100 (Herbert,) 12 to 5, third; time 2:12½. Idego, Prestolus and Merwan finished as named.

Fourth race, one mile, handicap: Veterano, 99 (J. Jones,) 9 to 2, won; Horton 102 (J. Lewis,) 8 to 1, second; Crisscross, 103 (W. Dugan,) 8 to 1, third. Time 1:44. Gateway, G. W. Trahern and Soothsayer finished as named.

Fifth race, futurity course, selling: Oscar Tolle, 114 (Holbrook,) 16 to 5, won; Suburban Queen, 106 (J. Lewis,) 5 to 2, second; Dr. Sherman, 111 (Frowen,) 25 to 1, third; time 1:13¾. Kylo II, Dotterel, Homage, Flyer, The Buffoon, Brennus, Salto, Effervescence and Disturber finished as named.

Sixth race, one mile, selling: Byrongerdale, 108 (Knapp,) 7 to 5, won; Oro Viva, 107 (W. Dugan,) 11 to 5, second; Golden Light, 105 (Herbert,) 8 to 1, third; time 1:43½. Flaneur and Mocorito finished as named.

MONTGOMERY PARK RESULTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MEMPHIS (Tenn.) April 20.—Montgomery Park results:

Six furlongs: Emma A. M. won, Topsoil second, Grand Mary third; time 1:18.

Six furlongs: Skillful won, Early Boy second, Irene Lindsay third; time 1:17.

Four and one-half furlongs: Walter Arnold won, Torpedo second, Lucius third; time 0:55.

Peabody Hotel handicap, mile and one-eighth: Claude won, Little Scout second, Lurallghter third; time 1:57.

One mile: Spencerian won, Sanctum second, Mariatana third; time 1:44¾.

Six furlongs: Falerian won, Cloverton second, Optional third; time 1:17.

AQUEDUCT RESULTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, April 20.—Aqueduct results:

Four and one-half furlongs: Pink Garten won, Muse On second, Pygmalion third; time 0:54 3-5.

Six furlongs: Red Knight won, All Gold second, Eugenia Burch third; time 1:14 2-5.

Six furlongs: Burning Glass won, Neither One second, Rob Roy third; time 1:14.

Seven furlongs, handicap: Spring won, Joaquin second, Monon third; time 1:27 2-5.

Seven furlongs: Phann won, Moronto second, Mary Work third; time 1:28 2-5.

Four and a half furlongs: St. Bellane won, Right Royal second, Amberjack third; time 0:54.

King Edward at the Races.

LONDON, April 20.—The city and suburban handicap of $10,000 at Epsom today was won by Robert Le Diable. Dean Swift was second and Cerisier third. King Edward was present. Twenty-one horses went to the post.

Real Estate.

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BRACE OF HITS BRINGS TALLY.

TACOMA WINS FROM OAKLAND BY SCORE OF ONE TO ZERO.

Teams so Evenly Matched that up to Beginning of Ninth Not a Single Run is Scored on Either Side. In Nicely-Played Fielding Game. Both Pitchers Good.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20. — So evenly matched were the Tacoma and Oakland teams today that up to the beginning of the ninth not a single run had been scored on either side. In Tacoma's half of the last inning, a brace of hits brought the winning tally. It was a nicely-played fielding game and the pitching of both Keefe and Buchanan was effective.

OAKLAND.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Ganley, rf	4	0	1	0	2	0	0
Francks, ss	4	0	1	0	3	5	0
Kruger, lf	4	0	1	0	4	0	0
Haney, cf	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Schlafer, 2b	4	0	0	0	1	3	0
Streib, 1b	4	0	1	1	10	0	0
Devereaux, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	3	0
Boettiger, c	3	0	0	0	5	0	0
Buchanan, p	3	0	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	31	0	4	1	27	11	0

TACOMA

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Casey, 2b	4	1	1	0	1	5	0
Sheehan, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	2	1
Nordyke, 1b	4	0	1	0	15	0	0
Eagan, ss	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Lynch, cf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
McLaughlin, rf	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Hannivan, rf	3	0	0	0	2	0	0
Graham, c	3	0	1	0	7	0	0
Keefe, p	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	29	1	4	0	27	11	1

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tacoma	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—1
Base hits	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1—4
Oakland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Base hits	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0—4

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Francks, Sheehan, Eagan. Sacrifice hits—Graham, Clancy, Sheehan. First base on errors—Oakland, 1. First base on called balls—Off Keefe, 1; off Buchanan, 1. Left on bases—Tacoma, 5; Oakland, 4. Struck out—By Keefe, 5; by Buchanan, 3. Time of game—1h. 55m. Umpire—McDonald.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

CINCINNATI-PITTSBURGH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CINCINNATI, April 20.—Although Pittsburgh outbatted Cincinnati and also played a better game in the field, they did not reap the benefit of their efforts. The locals were able to bunch hits and were assisted materially by the wild throws of Leach and Wagner. Attendance 2,000. Score:

Cincinnati 6; hits 10; errors 4.

Pittsburgh, 4; hits, 12; errors, 2.

Batteries—Walker and Peitz; Miller and Phelps.

TOO CHILLY FOR FANS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, April 20.—The Brooklyn-Boston National game today was postponed because of the cold weather.

ST. LOUIS GAME POSTPONED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. LOUIS, April 20.—The snow prevented the game between the St. Louis and Chicago National teams and St. Louis and Cleveland American teams scheduled for today.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

CHICAGO-DETROIT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, April 20.—With the thermometer still hovering around the freezing point, Chicago today defeated Detroit. Altrock was in good form, holding the visitors down to four scattered singles, and would have shut them out but for two wild throws at critical times. O'Leary and Tannehill carried off the fielding honors. Attendance 650. Score:

Chicago, 4; hits, 10; errors, 4.

Detroit, 2; hits, 4; errors, 2.

Batteries—Altrock and Sullivan; Killian and Buelow.

NO GAME AT GOTHAM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, April 20.—The American League ball game between Philadelphia and New York was postponed on account of the cold weather.

SNOW STOPS BOSTON GAME.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BOSTON, April 20.—The Boston-Washington American League game for today was postponed on account of snow.

HAS BEENS WIN VERY BAD GAME.

ALMOST AS MANY ERRORS AS BASE HITS.

Raymond Has a Dreadful Time of it and Makes Enough Fumbles to Last a Month—Hall is Hit for but Three Swats and Yet Did Not Win—Day is Bitter Cold.

San Francisco 5, Los Angeles 2.

Weather that made one think of wind-swept prairies, of sleigh bells jingling in the night and white drifts covering the rail fences is all right when one has plenty of butternuts, apples and cider brought up from the cellar and within reach of a big, warm log fire with all the folks sitting around; but when it whistles over a ball field in Southern California in the last part of April one begins to think that something is wrong.

When your nose is as cold as the sheets look when the Chinaman brings them home, it is not the easiest thing to play baseball and this may be the reason the Has Beens and Looloos didn't do much of it yesterday.

There were about as many cold finger bungles as hits and just what these amounted to for us may be reckoned when the Has Beens could make five runs off three hits and two passes. Little Tealy Raymond had the time of his life trying to field grounders and just what he didn't do was just the same as what he did. He made four bad errors and every one of them had something to do with a run. It's worse than working hard every day to try and win when things come that way and although the Has Beens made four bungles themselves the locals couldn't win with their eight hits, with Tealy juggling the ball.

Things commenced to happen in the second inning when Raymond juggled Irwin's grounder and then threw wide to first base, Irwin going to second. Then Massey bunted and Hall took a chance and threw to third base to head off Irwin, but was not quick enough. Leahy then forced Massey at second on a bounce to Flood and Irwin scored. In the third Ducky Miller was passed and Knell sent him to third with a left-field double.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Gospel Temperance.

There will be a gospel temperance meeting tonight at Blanchard's Hall conducted by Francis Murphy, beginning at 7:30.

Must go Home.

Two Chinamen, illegally in the United States, were ordered deported yesterday by United States Commissioner Van Dyke.

Ransom Home.

The annual meeting of the Ransom Home Industrial Association will be held at 10 o'clock this morning at Temperance Temple.

Orange Jury Saturday.

A meeting of the seven jurors selected to try the Kinney-Naftzger orange-marketing case has been called for 11 o'clock Saturday morning at room No. 625 Chamber of Commerce building.

Stricker-Quickel Wedding.

Amos Stricker and Hattie A. Quickel, both of York, Pa., were married last evening by Rev. Herbert J. Weaver at his residence, No. 1091 West Eighth street, Mr. and Mrs. Stricker will reside at No. 963 South Hill street.

Free Lecture.

Rev. W. F. Taylor, D.D., of Riverside, will deliver a lecture on the contest between Russia and Japan at Memorial Baptist Church on South Grand avenue tomorrow evening. No admission fee is to be charged.

Apartment House Sale.

Bowen & Chamberlin have sold to Edward Gilson a lot 60x165 feet, on the west side of Hope street, 120 feet north of Fourth street, with a forty-room two-story frame apartment building; consideration named, $25,000.

Conference Lectures.

Tickets for the lecture course in connection with the General Methodist Conference have been placed on sale at Bartlett's music store. The course includes appearances of seven prominent men of the denomination, and a concert.

Book-keepers and Accountants.

The Los Angeles Association of Accountants and Book-keepers will hold an open meeting tonight at their rooms, Nos. 3 and 5, No. 238 South Hill street. J. L. Fields of San Francisco will address the meeting on "Accounting."

Jefferson School Opening.

The recently-completed Jefferson-street school will be formally opened this afternoon. There will be an "at home" from 3 to 5 o'clock. Mayor Snyder, Supt. Foshay and other prominent men will deliver addresses. A musical programme will also be presented.

Spring Street Blaze.

A fire in the office of Anker and Slicton, No. 230½ South Spring street, at 7 o'clock last evening, caused plenty of excitement but small damage. The blaze started in some waste paper and quickly spread throughout the room. It was extinguished by a chemical. Loss about $25.

Salvation Army Show.

This evening at 8 o'clock at the Salvation Army barracks, No. 103 San Pedro street, Miss Sophia Stedry and Paul Nelson, both members of the Salvation Army, will be married in army uniform and with the army ritual by Adjt. J. M. Woolfe. The wedding will be open to the public.

Mother of Many.

Mrs. Cencion S. Valenzuela died yesterday at No. 1006 East Seventh street, aged 71. She was the mother of nine boys and nine girls, nine of whom are living. She has forty-six grandchildren. She had lived in Los Angeles for seventy years. The funeral will be held at the Cathedral at 10 a.m. tomorrow.

Patrolman Injured.

While chasing mischievous boys on Twenty-third street yesterday afternoon, Officer Frank Abbott tripped on a wire and got a fractured shoulder in the fall. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital, where his injuries were attended and later he was removed to his home. He will be unable to resume his duties for several days.

Eagle Banquet.

Los Angeles aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles will tonight hold its annual banquet at Elks' Hall. Special trains will bring Oxnard and San Bernardino aeries to partake of the feast, and to enjoy the entertainment that will follow. Among the numbers on the programme are two boxing contests, number rounds not stated. The principals are all members of the order.

Not a New Discovery.

"The World Invisible" will form the subject of the psychic science lecture by Dr. Alexander J. McIvor-Tyndall, at Blanchard Hall the coming Sunday afternoon. Dr. McIvor-Tyndall says he will tell of his researches and experiences that have led to his conviction that there is around and about us, an impalpable world, which is none the less real and tangible than the visible one.

Service Stripes.

The new service stripe rule for patrolmen has gone into effect and all members of the Police Department have been ordered to have their uniforms changed in accordance with the new rule. Heretofore patrolmen and officers alike have used a gold stripe on their sleeves for each five years of service, but in future only the officers will use gold braid. Patrolmen will have a white stripe for each five years of service.

Opium for Chain Gang.

A plot to smuggle opium into the City Jail was frustrated by Jailer Zeigler last night. G. Harbert, recently released from the bastile, left some tobacco for Bob Cline, a trusty. Within the package of tobacco was found a note telling Cline to look on the window sill. At the place stated the officer found a bag containing a large quantity of opium. The stuff was intended for the members of the chain gang.

State Banquet.

The Chamber of Commerce is anxious to hear from members who contemplate attending the State banquet to be given at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco, April 30. Particulars can be obtained from the secretary. The State Board of Trade in San Francisco is also desirous of hearing from such Californians as care to join in the California excursion to the St. Louis World's Fair, which is being arranged by the board. At the regular meeting of the board of directors of the chamber yesterday the following new members were elected: Oliver Morosco, Royal P. Wilson, F. A. Laird, Jewel Café, M. Lustig.

Mrs. Von Alven's Sudden Death.

Mrs. Johannah Von Alven, aged about 60 years, died very suddenly at her home, No. 1411 Mitchell Place, Brooklyn Heights, last evening. She had lived alone in a small cottage at this number for several years past. She was seen about her place during the day, but in the evening a neighbor happened to go to the house and found the woman unconscious. Dr. F. E. Corbin was summoned, but she was dead before he reached the house. The body was taken to Bresee Brothers' undertaking establishment, where an inquest will be held today. Mrs. Von Alven has two sons, R. W. and Fred Von Alven, who reside in this city. The cause of her death is supposed to have been a stroke of apoplexy.

BREVITIES.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union office for Catherine J. Gay, J. Janner, H. C. Hunter, David A. Tobey, L. A. Van Fossen, A. S. Holley, Grace L. Layman and Dr. James Jackson.

The finest barber shop in the United States. You are extended a cordial invitation to visit the Cooksey Barber Shop, 223-225 West Fourth st. J. E. Cooksey, Prop.

Dr. Locke, osteopath, 618 Grant Bldg.

Paso Robles Hot Springs, midway stop on Coast Line to San Francisco; booklets at Travel and Hotel Bureau, 207 West Third.

British subjects and persons of British birth are requested to send their names and addresses to C. White Mortimer, British Vice-Consul, Los Angeles.

County Convention Woman Suffrage Association, April 21, all-day session. Unity Church, Flower, between Ninth and Tenth sts. Come one, come all.

The popular place to eat—Hotel Rosslyn Café, fine dinners 50c; 5 to 8 p.m.; meals served a la carte from 6:30 a.m. to 8 p.m.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal telegraph office for Mrs. J. C. Grattan, Miss Hazel Bartlett, W. S. Montgomery.

SAN LUIS OBISPO.

ALL-NIGHT LIGHT SERVICE.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, April 20.—The Board of City Trustees has contracted for an all-night electric-light service for the next four years. Previous to this time the service closed at 1 o'clock each morning. Thirty-five new arc lights were ordered.

County Surveyor Parsons is engaged in making a survey of the Zaca Lake government reserve.

Black Lake, near Arroyo Grande, which a few years ago was stocked with black bass sent by the California Fish Commissioners, is now alive with these fish and fine sport is promised when the season opens July 1.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Paul C. Hancock, aged 23, a native of Nebraska, and Rachael P. Mennell, aged 24, a native of Ohio; both residents of Los Angeles.

George Barnett, aged 71, a native of England, and Mrs. Caroline Knapp, aged 60, a native of England; both residents of Santa Monica.

Ross Cummings, aged 30, a native of Iowa, and Ella Belle McGuler, aged 25, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

William T. Pine, aged 35, a native of Missouri, and Katherine F. Marrin, aged 23, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Edward Kiehl, aged 32, a native of Illinois, a resident of Prescott, Ariz., and Margaret A. MacDonald, aged 25, a native of Minnesota and a resident of Los Angeles.

Harry J. Woods, aged 34, a native of Vermont, and Lizzie M. Lee, aged 23, a native of Kentucky; both residents of Los Angeles.

Joseph W. Estes, aged 35, a native of Iowa, and Ola Hale, aged 30, a native of Iowa; both residents of Santa Fé Springs.

Amos Strickler, aged 34, a native of Pennsylvania, and Hattie K. Quickel, aged 32, a native of Pennsylvania; both residents of Los Angeles.

William J. Phillips, aged 22, a native of Kansas, and Dora Donald, aged 22, a native of Kansas; both residents of Pasadena.

Author L. Short, aged 32, a native of Canada, and Ethel M. Alexander, aged 20, a native of Kansas; both residents of Los Angeles.

Paul Mengnot, aged 30, a native of France, and Maria Solmon, aged 28, a native of France; both residents of Los Angeles.

Joseph S. Smith, aged 29, a native of California and a resident of Prescott, Ariz., and Imogen E. Cook, aged 23, a native of Kansas, and a resident of Long Beach.

Ralph W. E. Cole, aged 27, a native of Wisconsin, and Laura E. Hogan, aged 24, a native of Kansas; both residents of Los Angeles.

William J. Butleh, aged 28, a native of Mississippi, and Laurelitta Green, aged 20, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

BIRTH RECORD.

HODGES—April 16, to James A. Hodges and wife, at No. 1529 West Twenty-eighth street, a daughter.

DEATH RECORD.

EVANS—In this city, April 20, 1904, Ethel V. Evans, aged 1 month and 2 days.

HUNT—In this city, April 16, Ronaldson Hunt, aged 54 years. Funeral from Bresee Brothers' parlors today at 10 o'clock, thence to Cathedral at 10:30 o'clock. Friends invited.

NIEDT—April 19, 1904, Millie Baum Niedt of Portland, O. Funeral, No. 1701 West Adams street, today, 10:30 a.m.

VALENZUELA—At her late residence, No. 1006 East Seventh street, at 7:45 a.m., April 20, Ascension S. Valenzuela, aged 71 years. Funeral Friday, April 22, at 8:30 a.m.

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IDYLLWILD BURNED IN A THICK SNOWSTORM.

Manager Forced to Flee for His Life—Hotel and One Cottage in Ruins, Other Cottages Saved—Resort to be Rebuilt.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HEMET, April 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] During a furious snowstorm early this morning Idyllwild, the famous mountain hotel in Strawberry Valley, was burned to the ground.

The big hotel building, formerly used as a sanatorium, and one of the cottages were totally destroyed. Ten cottages, the store, bowling alley, electric plant, ice plant, and steam laundry were saved.

None of the contents of the big building were saved. The custodian, Mr. Lowe, being compelled to flee for his life, and being unable to save even his personal effects. He lost everything except one suit of clothes.

The cause of the fire is not known, but it is supposed to have originated in a small room in which were kept a quantity of paints and oils which were being used by a force of men who had been at work for some time cleaning and repainting the various buildings of the resort.

The fire started about 2 o'clock and by the time it was discovered it had spread to such an extent that there was no hope of saving the main building. The dozen or more guests in the cottages were awakened and they with the half-score of workmen employed there began trying to save the row of cottages.

A blinding snowstorm was raging at the time, the wind blowing a gale and piling the snow in deep drifts. To this fact is due the escape of other buildings on the place from destruction. Had the fire occurred during the dry summer season a forest fire would have resulted which would have swept miles of the mountain sides.

Cottage No. 1 was so close to the main building that it could not be saved, but the volunteer fire fighters succeeded in saving the other buildings, the snow-laden roofs being proof against the shower of sparks which fell upon them.

Within forty minutes from the time the fire was discovered not an upright piece remained of the big building.

Despite the heat, Manager Lowe attached chains to the office safe and with a team of horses dragged it from the cellar into which it had fallen. It contained $300 in currency, many valuable papers and more than $250 in postage stamps.

The larger of the two buildings which burned was built for use as a sanatorium and was finished without regard to cost. When the company which owns the resort found that there was a demand for a mountain resort which was not essentially a health resort, they converted the sanatorium into a hotel, refitted it, and last season it was used as such.

The loss is estimated here at $125,000, with about $60,000 insurance.

Dr. Walter Lindley, one of the owners of Idyllwind, was in Paso Robles when the fire occurred.

He immediately telegraphed to this city directions to rush preparations to get the place in shape for the coming season.

The company has 200 tents and a great quantity of seasoned lumber already on the ground. Dr. Lindley has ordered the workmen to begin at once the erection of a dining hall large enough to seat 500 people to be ready June 1, when the season will open.

[The photographs are by the Crowe Adv. Company.]

Top picture is the hotel that burned. At bottom, the row of cottages of which all but one were saved. Other two pictures are pleasure nooks about Idyllwild.

LA FON HAS ONE CHANCE.

GIVEN FORTY-EIGHT HOURS TO DIG UP IN.

Companies that He Wronged Make Him Face the Music—Within Two Days He Must Make Good or the Law Will Take Its Course and There'll be Something Doing.

Stockholders of the Young Men's Investment Company and C. A. Parsons, manager of the Pacific Transfer Company yesterday, made a demand upon E. J. La Fon, the former manager of the company, for the return of moneys alleged to have been collected and not turned into the treasury.

La Fon was given forty-eight hours in which to comply with the demand, and upon failure to do so Parsons and the stockholders say they will swear out a warrant and prosecute the quondam Napoleon of finance. The amount of La Fon's alleged killing in this particular instance, is given as nearly $1000, though the original investment of the sufferers in the Young Men's Company is not included, nor are various amounts for which La Fon is said to have "touched" his friends. The specific charges made are the collection of bills not accounted for on the books of the company, overdrafts in bank, bills charged up as paid when worthless checks were given in settlement, and shortages in cash account.

La Fon is the youth who organized the Young Men's Investment Co.—taking in his friends in the employ of the Sunset Telephone Company—and purchased the Pacific Transfer Company with the intention of revolutionizing the transfer business; but who skipped out after squandering the money advanced by friends and left a host of mourning creditors behind. After the whole miserable business was exposed in The Times, La Fon, the haughty, decided to return to the city from San Francisco to "vindicate" himself, and he accordingly reached here Monday.

Stockholders of the company and other losers by La Fon's methods, told him they would give him a chance to "vindicate" himself, but in the process they would like to see the color of their hard-earned shekels once more. Gently but firmly the creditors insisted upon this important adjunct to vindication, much to the disgust of the former august head of the company.

The alternative didn't suit La Fon at all yesterday, but he replied that he would "consider the matter with his attorney." The consideration limit is tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

ANY OLD THING.

Burglars and sneak thieves are not very fastidious in the selection of property these days and anything not nailed down is liable to disappear. J. G. Sanchey of No. 630 Tehama street, reported to the police yesterday that bold bad men had entered the rear of his place of business and stolen a Studebaker spring wagon. No horses were lying around loose, but this did not daunt the thieves, who successfully made away with the wagon without equine aid. The wagon was lettered in gold "Cananea Transfer Co., No. 362." William Kevel of No. 244 East Second street, reported that burglars broke in his store from the rear and secured several pairs of shoes and other merchandise.

DROUGHT AND RECLAMATION.

PLANS OF FEDERAL ENGINEERS MAY BE AMENDED.

If Area to be Irrigated is Reduced it Will Increase Cost to Landowners in Salt River Valley—Los Angeles Company Secures Contract for Pumping Plant.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) April 19.—There is a possibility that the estimate of 200,000 acres to be irrigated in this valley through the natural flow of the Verde and Salt rivers and the impounded waters of the latter, plus pumping from the underground flow, will be amended by the Geological Survey's engineers if the present drought continues. Of course, the primary requisite for the success of a water-storage enterprise is water and of this very little has fallen in Central Arizona for the past two years. Engineer A. P. Davis, in charge, states that though the drought is an unlooked-for condition, it must nevertheless be taken into consideration in the plans of the government. The works would not cost more than the estimate of $3,600,000, possibly less. This would bring the cost to the land owners to $18 an acre. If the acreage is scaled down, there may be an increase of the cost to $20 or even more per acre. Even these figures would not represent the extreme, however.

It is probable that the reclamation cost on the Colorado River will aggregate $40 for each acre irrigated. Considerable progress has been made in work on the Colorado. Bedrock has been found at a reasonable depth at Cocopah Point, above Yuma. The construction of a diversion dam at the point, to raise the water eighteen feet, will serve for the irrigation of 90,000 acres of good land around Yuma, and will as well provide power for pumping, for the irrigation of an additional 30,000 acres lying south and east of Yuma. The plan also contemplates the diversion of water on the California side to cover even a greater acreage. The farmers around Yuma have formed a water users' association, modeled upon the Salt River Valley Association, and are prepared to pay $50 an acre if necessary.

A survey has been made of the damsite and reservoir on the San Pedro River, near Charleston, and water measurements are being continued. The engineers are not particularly enthusiastic over the project. The flow is not large and the reservoir conditions are not exceptionally good.

A regular transportation line has been started from Mesa City to the Tonto Creek damsite, over the Fish Creek trail. Most of the journey is by stage, a short stretch only being made by pack train.

Engineers Leighton and Baker of the Geological Survey have been detailed to explore the headwaters of Salt River and to locate the springs that give the river its saline taste. It is believed possible to divert the flow of the alkaline springs, in the summer time, when the percentage of salts in suspension is highest. At medium and higher stages of water, the salts are immaterial in quantity.

The Pacific Coast Manufacturing Company of Los Angeles, represented by T. S. Smith, has secured the contract for installing the machinery of the initial pumping plant of the Tempe Canal Company. The cost will be $28,220. The Southern California Drill and Construction Company of Los Angeles has the contract for sinking ten wells for the plant, at a cost of about $8000.

J. G. Heaton, a California well-borer, now resident near Phoenix, has invented and is using a novel irrigating pump, equipped with four force plungers. He claims to operate it with less than half the power needed for a centrifugal pump, raising twenty-five inches of water at a cost of only 50 cents for gasoline for a ten hours' run. Heaton does not propose to patent his invention.

Death Sentence in England.

The present agitation in England to abolish the pronouncing of the death sentence in cases where it is patent that capital punishment will not follow will probably meet with the approval of most people who desire that the law should lose nothing of its dignity, and at the same time have nothing of unnecessary horror added. The Lord Chancellor pleads for the retention of the form, saying that the passing of the death sentence will act as a deterrent. James I. juggled with death sentences in this manner and got himself rather disliked for it. Over the plot in which Raleigh, Cobham, Grey and others were implicated he had the less puissant ones put to death and "very bloodily handled." Cobham's brother was beheaded "like a gentleman." The bishop of Chichester, with the blood of the latter still upon him, went then to Lord Cobham. Him the bishop exhorted to confession. Other prelates were similarly engaged with Sir Walter Raleigh and Lord Grey. Meantime, Markham, another of the conspirators, had been placed upon the scaffold and was about to bow his head to the ax when the Sheriff was called away by a Scotch hireling, and the prisoner left to contemplate the ax for an hour. Then he was led away and told to prepare for death at the end of two hours. Grey's turn was next. He prayed half an hour before the block, then raised himself to die—and was led away, the king sending word that the order of execution had been changed. So forth came Cobham, and, having made his last declaration, prepared to take farewell of the world, when the Sheriff stayed the execution, and brought forth Markham and Grey, all three thinking that the other two had been executed. They were told, after having suffered the agony of all but death itself, that their lives would be spared. Raleigh's experience was similar. That was how they used to make death sentences act as "a deterrent" in the good old days. There would be danger for those who tried a repetition, today.—[St. James Gazette.

A Wise Head.

Ted: What makes you think old Rockxey doesn't intend to let you marry his daughter?

Ned: The tip he gave me on the stock market was a loser.—[Town Topics.

MILLIONAIRE IN DISTRESS.

Heart Bleeds for Sake of Judge Torrance.

The Judge Flatly Accused of Getting Drunk.

A Motion to Strike Out the Affidavits.

Those red-hot affidavits charging Judge Torrance with drunkenness and gross misconduct in the Gay divorce case will not remain in the court record where the newspapers can get at them, if only Judge Torrance can possibly be teased to strike them from the archives.

His good old friend, Millionaire Gay of San Diego, forgetting his own troubles, has rushed to Judge Torrance's rescue with an earnest legal motion just begging him to cut these affidavits out of the records.

It is believed that Judge Torrance can be persuaded, somehow or other, to do it; to cut out these terrible things that hang like a sword of Damocles over his head, where every newspaper seeking amusement at election time may publish them in full.

As these charges against his friend cause Gay so much distress, it is thought to be probable, even by the attorneys on the opposing side, that Judge Torrance may generously side with Mr. Gay again—for humanity's sake, if for no other reason, to put him out of his sympathetic misery.

Notice that this motion will be made April 25 arrived in this city yesterday, being served on Mrs. Gay's attorneys, Valentine and Newby.

The notice of the motion states in a most melancholy manner the reason why Mr. Gay yearns to have the affidavits struck out. The allegations show at once that he has a sympathetic nature; all the reasons directly affecting Judge Torrance and not affecting Gay himself at all.

Gay asserts that the damaging affidavits are irrevelant and impertinent.

He asserts that if they continue to remain in the record, they will be "privileged matter" which the newspapers can publish. The newspapers have already done so, the notice says; says so sadly and with anguish.

The notice of the motion does not make a denial of the truth of the charges. Judge Torrance has filed an affidavit denying that he was drunk. The other affidavits claim that he was improperly at Gay's house after the beginning of the trial of the divorce case and before the rendering of the judgment in Gay's favor.

As Attorney Newby has other engagements which prevent his going to San Diego on the day in question, it is probable that the motion will not be made April 25; that Gay will have to suffer through his sympathies a while longer.

HARRIMAN HERE WITH PARTY.

PRESIDENT OF SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMES IN STYLE.

Distinguished Financiers and Railroad Men from East Enthusiastic Over Beauty of Southern California, Says Julius Kruttschnitt. Visit to Imperial Significant.

A palatial train of six cars, drawn by two monster engines, rolled into the Arcade Depot at 10 o'clock last night, bearing President E. H. Harriman of the Southern Pacific and his distinguished party of financiers and railroad builders.

Harriman travels in style, and he doesn't hurry. His party is out to see the country, as well as to inspect mere railroad property. On the train are automobiles, and when points of interest lie beyond the glance from the track, the red devils are brought from their car, and away spin as many of the party as wish to visit the place.

A knock on the plate-glass door of the headquarters car as the train drew up in the depot brought forth the information that President Harriman had retired for the night, but Julius Kruttschnitt sat within smoking with a little coterie of railroaders. He chatted briefly with the newspaper men.

There are familiar names in the world of finance and railroads on the Harriman party's roster. From New York are James N. Hill, vice-president of the Great Northern and son of J. J. Hill, the president; James Stillman, member of the Executive Committee of the Southern Pacific and president of the National City Bank of New York; William Rockefeller, Jr., vice-president of the Standard Oil Company; Whitney Warren and Robert W. Goelet; W. J. Farrer of the great London banking firm of Baring & Co.; W. S. Thorne, Julius Kruttschnitt, director of operation, maintenance and construction work of all the Harriman lines; C. H. Markham, general manager of the Southern Pacific; W. F. Herrin, head of the Southern Pacific's legal department; Freight Traffic Director Sproule and Epes Randolph, who recently resigned the position of general manager of the Pacific Electric in this city to identify himself with work for the Southern Pacific in Arizona. Mr. Randolph joined the party in Arizona, and looked in good health and spirits last night. Traffic Director J. C. Stubbs and Passenger Traffic Manager E. O. McCormick are expected to join Mr. Harriman here today, coming from the North.

The party has been looking through Mexico, and came here from a brief visit to Imperial. A short stop was made in Redlands yesterday afternoon, where the travelers took an automobile spin.

"The eastern gentlemen who are Mr. Harriman's guests are the most enthusiastic passengers imaginable," said Mr. Kruttschnitt. "Most of them have never visited Southern California before, and they have not been backward in expressing their admiration of the wonders they have seen today. The ride through Redlands was an eye opener, the country looking its loveliest after the showers."

Mr. Kruttschnitt declared there are no changes to be made in local affairs of the Southern Pacific of interest to the public, and said Mr. Harriman will probably spend today sightseeing with his guests in Los Angeles and vicinity, either in automobiles or electric cars. The special will probably leave tonight for San Francisco.

While the purposes of the trip to the Coast were not entered into, much significance is attached to the visit of such distinguished financial and railroad figures to the Imperial region at this juncture. It is reported from there, in connection with the extension of the Southern Pacific branch to Calexico, on the international boundary line, that the railroad's surveyors have been ordered to make a survey south of the line, signifying an intention of continuing the road to the head of the Gulf of California, which would give the rich Imperial Valley an outlet for its product to the seacoast.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM LAWS.

DISCUSSED AT BANQUET OF THE MUNICIPAL LEAGUE.

Representatives of the United States Civil Service Commission on National Reform League Deliver Addresses and Answer Questions. Disputed Points of Law Explained.

"The basic principle of good government" was the theme discussed last evening at a banquet given at Levy's by the Municipal League of Los Angeles. There were 150 leaguers present, representing all shades of political belief and affiliation. J. O. Koepfli, the chief executive officer of the organization, presided.

The "motif" of the banquet was to do honor to national representatives of the civil-service movement, now sojourning in the city, Hon. A. W. Cooley, United States Civil Service Commissioner of New York, and Elliott H. Goodwin, secretary of the National Civil Service Reform League, of Washington, D. C., both of whom are touring the States with the idea of extending the scope and usefulness of their organization.

Both of these gentlemen delivered short addresses upon "What is the Civil Service Law?" "What has Civil Service Accomplished?" and "What is its Aim?" It was not claimed for the service that it eliminates every evil; that it is in itself perfect; nor that in its administration errors are not committed. But it was claimed that where two horns of a dilemma are presented it is a good business principle to lay hold of the one calculated to be most beneficial to the greatest number.

In the questions asked the national representatives, at the conclusion of their addresses, many misconceptions as to the service were corrected and the aims and objects of the commission elucidated. Heretofore it has been supposed that an employé, working under civil-service rules, had the right of appeal and trial in the event of discharge. This seems to be an error. According to Mr. Cooley the commission can deal only with questions of law and not of cause, either probable or real. The obligation of the head of a department ends when he has served a written notice of dismissal and given his reasons for action. If the chief of a department has erred in the construction of civil-service law the subordinate can appeal to the commission, as in the case of Miller, who was discharged from the government printing office because he did not belong to a trades-union. That dismissal was an error of law, and Miller was reinstated. Had Miller been discharged for incompetency and had been served with a written notice and reasons he would have had no recourse.

Questioned as to the apparent injustice of this provision Mr. Cooley explained that experience would demonstrate that in every instance the head of a department would be confronted with two propositions—work a slight injury to the individual in question, or submit to the destruction of discipline of his department. Of the two evils the lesser was preferable.

Mr. Goodwin urged the registration of laborers, withdrawing their appointment from political influences and thus relieving officials from pressure and periodical torture as inflicted by job chasers. He also outlined plans for classification, grading and promotion as operative in eastern cities, and suggested the formation of a local reform league. "Your work as a municipal league," concluded Mr. Goodwin, "in securing for your city government the application of civil-service law is but the beginning of your endeavor. Your greatest work will be to safeguard and extend the civil-service idea which is the basis of all good government."

Judge Conrey spoke briefly but pointedly in support of the questions under discussion. He maintained that the end of civil-service reform was good government, not for the sake of economy nor on the ground of efficiency, but because good government is the aim of all good citizenship and the bulwark of liberty.

Brief comment was also made by Dr. D. W. Edelman and Niles Pease.

An Ancient Locomotive.

An interesting railroad relic, reminiscent of the first days of the steam locomotive, has been discovered in the North of England. The Liverpool and Manchester Railroad Company, the first public road constructed, it will be remembered, inaugurated a competition in the latter part of the twenties of the past century for a locomotive, in which Stephenson and other inventors participated. Three engines, the "Rocket," by Stephenson; the "Sans Pareil," by Hackworth, and the "Novelty," by Braithwaite and Ericsson, respectively, participated in the trials that were carried out in 1829. As is well known, Stephenson's "Rocket" secured the award of $2500, which was offered, as being the most suitable engine attaining a speed of twenty-nine miles per hour. The "Sans Pareil" was second with a speed of twenty-three miles per hour, while the "Novelty" withdrew from the trials owing to the joints of the boiler giving way when the locomotive had traveled only three miles. Both the "Rocket" and the "San Pareil" are now preserved in the South Kensington Museum, but the "Novelty" mysteriously disappeared, and was never found again until quite recently. It appears that Ericsson was so mortified by the failure of his conception that he left it with his friend, Mr. Melling, who possessed engineering works located upon a space adjoining the Rainhill station. These works were subsequently dismantled, and the premises were occupied by the Rainhill Gas and Water Company. The "Novelty" was thus lost sight of, but it has now been recognized working as a stationary engine, the wheels having been removed for this purpose, and its identity thus somewhat disguised. Attempts are to be made to secure this third premier locomotive, and to place it alongside of its two contemporaries in the South Kensington Museum.—[Scientific American.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Admission was yesterday made by the publishers of the paper having the contract for city advertising that it had omitted notices of street work from some of its issues, and damage suits may follow.

The health office is preparing for a new campaign against dealers selling adulterated foodstuffs.

Records of the health office show that there are fewer cases of contagious disease in the city than at any other time for years.

Felix Martinez, a son of a wealthy family at El Paso, was arrested yesterday on the embezzlement charge. This is the culmination to the story of an elopement.

A curious quiet-title suit was decided by Judge Allen yesterday in favor of T. Thompson against his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Zena Wilson.

In the Police Court yesterday the Humane Society failed to convict Gilbert Sellsted of abusing his child.

The first effort of the Prosecuting Attorney to make a case of burglary under the new law, is likely to fail.

AT THE CITY HALL.

THE "EXPRESS" ADMITS FAILURE.

CITY PRINTING CASE IS MADE CLEARER STILL.

Councilmen Declare that Official Paper is in a Hole—Legal Decision Quoted by the Los Angeles "Express" Does Not Apply to Its Case—Contractors Hot.

Failure on the part of the Evening Express to live up to its contract made a year ago with the City Council for the publication of official notices was widely discussed yesterday in municipal and financial circles.

Councilmen who a year ago voted to award the contract for city advertising to the Express were loudest in their denunciation of the methods resorted to by that publication to squeeze a little more money out of the contract by excluding its advertisements from parts of its regular editions. For it has developed that it was not alone from its "extras," but from parts of its regular daily edition, that these advertisements were omitted.

A REGULAR EDITION.

For the last month the Express has published a regular 6 o'clock edition bearing the same number news pages as its 4 o'clock and 5 o'clock editions, carrying the same volume and serial number as those editions, but with most of the city advertising cut out.

One exception made was that of the water and hospital bond issues. Realizing that the publication of the notices for this work might be scrutinized closer than that of regular street work, these ordinances were published in the 6 o'clock edition.

This 6 o'clock edition, like the ones that precede it, is little read, as no copies of it were ever sent to the City Hall, Councilmen and city officials generally, were not aware of the omissions that were being made.

Tuesday's Express proclaimed in bold black faced type that the paper had not excluded city advertising from its "extras." A few persons believed the statement. Confronted yesterday by fifty specific instances, wherein which it had done so, published, with dates and numbers of ordinances in the Times, the Express, last night tamely admitted the truth of the allegations and tried to bolster up a defense by quoting from a Supreme Court decision which had about as much to do with the question at issue as the city's tax rate has with the price of mules in Kansas. This was the last straw. After that admission, the Express had about as many friends as a defeated candidate for Council.

"The Express has made a confession of guilt," said one Councilman, "it is atonement and not explanations that we want now."

FORSAKEN BY RATS.

Even the union-labor agitators displayed their rodent natures by deserting the Express as a sinking ship. Yesterday they did not venture into the council committee room but gathered about the entrance to the City Hall and alternately threatened and pleaded with Councilmen to save them from utter rout by giving the advertising contract to the Herald, thereby keeping it away from an independent newspaper.

At an informal meeting in the Council committee room yesterday, in which four Councilmen took part, they practically agreed not to stand for a repetition of the expense which had been saddled on property holders, during the past year for advertising street improvements, unless they could gain some measure of compensation in the way of getting the notices before more property holders.

Records in the City Clerk's office show that during the last year printing bills for sewer work alone have in some instances amounted to as much as $7 a lot. This when compared with the actual results achieved, the Councilmen regarded as exorbitant.

Even friends of the Express admitted that the attempt to get notices before interested parties through publication in the columns of that paper proved a failure. One of the stock arguments used, a year ago, by those favoring the Express as a medium of publication as compared with the Journal, was that the delinquent tax list could go before more persons if published in the Express than in the Journal, and that this would result in lessening the number of tax sales by the city. Since the official advertising has been printed in the Express the tax sales have increased, rather than diminished, proving to the satisfaction of more than one Councilman that the Express has a very limited number of actual readers. Taking its own argument as a basis for estimates, the Express has fewer readers than any other daily paper published in Los Angeles.

DECISION NOT APPLICABLE.

Attempting to find an excuse for its violation of contract, the Express last night published garbled portions of a decision made in the State Supreme Court. This case the Express claimed proved that the street assessments were not violated by failure of publication. As a matter of fact, the decision comes perilously near sustaining the contention that the assessments were not legal; so near that until it is explained bond buyers will not touch the street assessment bonds with a ten-foot pole.

The case cited is one in which a paper which published no edition on Sundays and holidays, on one of these days got out a strike extra in which advertising of street assessments was not included. Justice Harrison in his decision lays stress on the fact that "There was not a regular issue of the paper on the day in question and the edition was not numbered as one of a series." The Express has done just what the other paper was careful not to do.

City Attorney Mathews has not yet rendered a decision as to whether this omission invalidates street assessments, but the Express with brazen effrontery last night cut out every line of municipal advertising from its 6 o'clock edition.

In this it is not acting on the advice of the City Attorney, and the contractors who are doing street improvement are the ones who have to take the risk of having their assessments invalidated by the Express.

One result of this high-handed action is evinced in the disinclination of contractors to bid for street work under the Vrooman act. Last night a coterie of them met on the steps of the City Hall. One held a copy of the 6 o'clock edition of the Express minus advertising notices of street improvements. It did not take them long to determine that they would put in no bids for street improvements under the Vrooman act until they were assured that the notices of the work were regularly printed.

Should the courts hold that the failure of the Express to print official advertising in its entire edition did not invalidate street assessments, the management of the Express would still remain branded with violation of contract and broken faith. Sworn circulation statements played a prominent part a year ago in the award of the printing contract. The circulation claimed, and sworn to, by the Express included the actual number of papers issued for a specified time. In this all the extra editions were figured. Last night the Express put up the plea that "In all 'extras' publication of legal notices are not permitted by the specifications and terms of the contract." If this were true, it was known to the management of the paper at the time the circulation statement of the Express was made, and the Express deliberately included in its circulation statement editions in which it knew the advertising would not appear.

EXPRESS CONFESSES.

Tuesday the members of the Supply Committee of the City Council announced their intention of investigating the charges made by contractors and members of the City Council and published in The Times, that the Express had failed to print official advertisements in all its editions.

This announcement proved just as efficacious as the investigation itself, for the Express last night admitted the truth of the charges which Monday night it defied Councilmen to prove.

Saloon Transfers.

Two applications were yesterday filed with the Clerk of the Police Commission for transfer of saloon licenses. C. Miller has asked for a transfer from his present location, No. 606 South Olive street, to No. 644 in the same block. This application is accompanied by property frontage signed according to the rules of the Commission. M. L. Starrin, who at present operates a saloon at No. 115 Wilmington street, has also asked to be permitted to move to No. 615 San Fernando street.

City is Healthy.

Records in the Health Office show that there are fewer contagious diseases in the city than at any other time for the last two years. No new cases of scarlet or typhoid fevers have been reported for the last three days, and the diphtheria cases have almost wholly disappeared. Health Officer Powers thinks this is largely due to the improvement in the city's water supply and to better sanitation.

Pure Food Campaign.

City Chemist Day has the chemical laboratory in the top floor of the Health Office stocked with samples of honey, butter, pickles, bread, olives, canned vegetables and other articles of food. He is testing the honey for glucose, the bread for alum, the pickles for sawdust vinegar, the olives for poisonous coloring matter and the other articles for adulterants prohibited by the State Pure Food Law. The samples have all been gathered by the inspectors of the Health Department. If adulterants are found in any of the foodstuffs, arrests may follow.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

A BLOT ON LOVE'S YOUNG DREAM.

FELIX MARTINEZ ARRESTED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT.

Scion of a Wealthy Half-Spanish Family at El Paso Elopes to This City, and Ends the Honeymoon by Being Landed in the County Jail. Sends for Father.

Late yesterday afternoon a half Spanish youth named Felix Martinez was brought to the County Jail, there to await the result of a charge of embezzlement preferred against him by I. Joseph, the Spring-street furniture man. The young man is only 23 years of age, and a rather romantic little story has culminated in a disgraceful, though, perhaps, not essentially criminal episode.

Martinez belongs to a very wealthy family living at El Paso. In it the blood of the Americano has mingled with some of the old-time Spanish blood of Mexico, and the family is rich in land, in herds of cattle and horses, and has a high standing throughout the valley of the Pecos. The son, Felix, received a fine education, and has been devoting his time to surveying in the field—that is, when he cared to work at all. About two years ago he met and fell in love with a young American girl, who was noted in the Gateway City for her beauty as well as her charm and grace of manner. But for Felix to marry the girl was out of the question, for his father had other designs for his son.

But the more opposition threwp in their way the more devotedly did the young couple cling together. And yet it appeared hopeless to think that the consent of Felix's parents could ever be obtained. They had nothing to say against the girl, save that their son was too young, and then his inamorata was poor and pretty, and that is oftimes considered an unsafe combination for a young man to stagger up against.

About eight months ago the lovers determined to decide their own fate by eloping to Los Angeles, and there getting married. But they were worldly wise, and determined not to leave El Paso together, for if they were both missed the same day they were well aware that the telegraph would tick out its message of warning all along the line of railroad, and then there would be an ignominious return to El Paso. Felix left for California first, and it was easy for him to make an excuse for taking a trip away from home. Shortly afterward his fiancée also cooked up a pretty little fibbing story about visiting a friend in Arizona, and took the opportunity to come straight through to this city, where she found a welcome in the arms of her lover.

They married and lived happy ever after—that means about eight months. Felix Martinez had not been schooled to count his dimes before spending them, and though after a while the folks at home unbent so far as to send money to the wayward son it sifted through a hole in his pocket very quickly. Spasmodically he would work at his profession—when he could get work to do, but despite all drawbacks he and his bride passed a happy time enough, and only felt the ennui of life when they were separate one from the other.

It was about this time that Martinez went to Joseph's furniture store and ordered a bill of goods sent to his house at No. 2022 Miranda street. The amount due was only $125, but when Joseph sent his collector a few days later to collect for the goods he discovered that the Miranda menage had been broken up. The embezzlement complaint was then sworn out. It transpired that Felix had gone down to Lemon to do some surveying in that vicinity, and there he and his wife were found by Deputy Sheriff José Sepulveda. The deputy intimated his business, and a blank look crept over the face of the young wife. But she was brave and said she would come right along with her husband back to the city, and she did. As for Martinez himself, he said that he had been somewhat extravagant, but he had never intended to do other than pay Joseph when his next remittance came to hand.

And last night the telegraph wires were kept sizzling for a little while, as the son in jail speeded an urgent message to his father at El Paso to come along and help him out of a tight place.

BAD NEWS BROKEN.

FATHER'S DEATH TOLD TO SON.

Frank S. Toporke lived with a young son at No. 2416 East Ninth street, and last month he entered the Fralich Hospital to be treated. There he died on April 1. While lying on his sick bed Toporke had mentioned to the nurses that he had a young son in the city, and after his death the hospital authorities made some perfunctory inquiries regarding his relatives, but they could neither find the son or any one else that had interest in the deceased. Then they reported to Public Administrator McGarvin.

Inasmuch as the report showed that besides the house in which he lived and two adjoining lots Toporke had left no other estate, and there being no need for immediate attention the matter was docketed to be looked into in its proper order. Yesterday, Mr. McGarvin went down to East Ninth street to examine the property, and upon approaching saw a youth working in the garden. He appeared to be a healthy but rather unsophisticated country boy.

Not knowing that the boy had not been by his father's bedside when he died Mr. McGarvin in all innocence began talking about the property with incidental reference to the deceased. After thus alluding once or twice to the boy's father he noticed the lad get pallid, and appear as if very much moved, and it occurred then to Mr. McGarvin that, perhaps, young Toporke—for it was he—by some unfortunate mishap had not been made aware of his father's death.

"Is it possible," he inquired, "that you did not know your father had died at the beginning of this month?"

The boy said that he had not known it, and after he had recovered himself somewhat, he gave the official some information about the family. He said that his mother and six other children are living on a ranch at Puyallup, Wash., and his father and he had come down here to make a home. His father had been working for a wire company, and both of them had been living in the barn while they had rented the house on East Ninth street. One night his father returned home, saying that he didn't feel well, and spoke about going to some hospital to get treatment. Next day he went down town and didn't return home, and after several days had past he started out, he said, to try and discover his father's whereabouts. He felt certain he had gone to some hospital, so he made the rounds of them all, as he thought. Somehow the boy overlooked the Fralich Hospital.

THREE TIMES WIDOWED.

QUEER CASE OF MRS. WILSON.

Thomas Thompson is an elderly man, who lives on the East Side, and has followed a very happy fashion in disposing of his money. Being quite well off in this world's goods whenever one of his children married he celebrated the advent of the first grandchild by presenting the parents with a comfortable home.

Four children, who had married, returned thanks for their first born and a nice house and lot at one and the same time, but over the fifth there ensued trouble that was settled in Judge Allen's court yesterday. Mr. Thompson had brought suit against Mrs. Zena Wilson to quiet title to the house at No. 139 South Avenue 21. The old man says the property is his, while the defendant also claims it.

It appears that Mrs. Wilson in days gone by married Thompson's son, Stephen, and when baby came along the parents received a nice home from the proud grandfather. But Stephen and his wife tried to do a little investing to improve their fortunes, and the end was that they lost their home. Then Stephen died. After a lapse of time Mrs. Stephen Thompson did not care to change her name, so she married her brother-in-law, Tom. He and his sister-in-law wife took up their residence in the house on South Avenue 21, and in due course of time he died. There had been no gift of a home by the grandfather this time, but he allowed his daughter-in-law to occupy the house without charging her any rent.

But as time went on young Mrs. Thompson realized that it is "not good for man to be alone," or woman, either, and so she married again to a Mr. Wilson. But somehow she was unfortunate in her loves, for he followed his two predecessors of the Thompson ilk to the churchyard, and again and for the third time Mrs. Wilson was a widow.

The elder Thompson now wanted to get possession of his house and lot on South Avenue 21, but Mrs. Wilson claimed to own it, and refused to vacate. Then began a lot of trouble, which had its culmination yesterday in the suit in court.

All that Mrs. Wilson could say in substantiation of her claim was that her husband—her second, Tom Thompson—had told her that his father had given him the place, and had offered to give him a deed to it. As a matter of fact no deed ever had been given to the property, and what was said by the husband to his wife was in the nature of a privileged communication, and could not be admitted, for it would be impossible of contradiction, as the husband has joined the great majority.

Mrs. Wilson testified herself out of court, and title to the property remains in Mr. Thompson.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

A TOLUCA DEPUTY'S CAPTURE.

Louis Sarbin is an elderly Frenchman, who has been working off and on for the Los Angeles Gas and Lighting Company, and on Tuesday started to walk to Bakersfield. He was not penniless, but he objected to paying out money to travel by the cars when he could hoof it just as well as not.

Sarbin followed the railroad track and near to Burbank he met two rough-looking specimens of the genus hobo. All three walked along together for a little way, when suddenly one of the toughs struck Sarbin a terrific blow on the mouth that knocked him down. Though taken unawares he stumbled to his feet and tried to run, but the tramps quickly overhauled him, and then went through his clothes. They robbed him of $8.15 in cash and a watch, and told him to make tracks and not look back or they'd kill him. The Frenchman needed no further intimation that the interview was closed, and trotted down the track as quickly as he could. About a quarter of a mile further along he met a woman with a small child, and to her he related what had befallen him. The woman upon reaching her home telephoned to Fred Weddington, who is sheriff's deputy at Toluca, and who conducts a grocery store at that place. He mounted his horse and started after the hobos, trailing them for several miles to the foot of the Cahuenga Pass. When the Weary Willies saw the mounted horseman making straight for them they were alarmed, and while one dropped in the bush the other took to his heels. Weddington took a flying shot at one, but it only served to give wings to the feet of the flying tramp.

For the moment Weddington let the one tramp go while he searched for and soon found the one in hiding. Putting the wristlets upon him he conveyed him to a place of temporary safety and then started up again after the runaway, and found him. The hobo had done a hard bit of work, for he had tracked full speed for six miles to Fernando, where the deputy sheriff arrested him.

Weddington brought his captives to town yesterday afternoon, and at 3 o'clock they had their examination before Justice Young. They answered to the names of John Kiley and Meek Barr, and they were charged with robbery on the highway. Both men were held to answer in the Superior Court in $1000 bail each.

HER HUSBAND SWORE.

ONE GROUND FOR DIVORCE.

H. H. Augustine, a fireman attached to one of the engine-houses in the city, was on the carpet yesterday, but not before the Fire Commission. His wife was suing him in Judge York's department for divorce and Judge Oster heard the case.

The parties were married in 1894, and there are three children as offspring of the marriage. The especial charge made by Mrs. Augustine against her husband was that he had been cruel in a multitude of small ways that worried the life out of her, and that had a demoralizing effect upon the children. Being asked to call off the epithets that her husband had applied to her the plaintiff reeled off a list of hair-raising words that showed the fireman had a wonderful command of language—of a certain kind.

As illustrative of the manners followed by Augustine, his wife stated that while they were living on East Twenty-fourth street, he came home late one Saturday night, and went to bed without saying a word. He arose about 5 o'clock in the morning and called his wife. She objected to getting up so early on Sunday when the usual habit was to remain in bed rather later than on other mornings, but he told her that the expressman would be at the door at 8 o'clock sharp, to move the furniture. It then developed that the husband had arranged to move from the house his family were occupying without ever telling his wife anything about it. Mrs. Augustine told him that it was impossible to get ready to move in two or three hours, and then she was cursed for her pains. She said that her husband went around the house pulling the curtains and draperies down by main force, and told his wife if she didn't get up he'd drag the bed from under her.

Altogether, according to the statements of his wife, Augustine's appreciation of his wife was not very high, for he told her to chase herself and that he would rather live with a nigger than with her.

It took Mrs. Augustine nearly all of yesterday to tell her side of the story, and today the husband and his witnesses will have their innings.

LOVED HIS EMPLOYER.

EUGENE KENSEL WAS CRAZY.

While Eugene Kensel followed the humble occupation of dishwasher in a Santa Monica restaurant his thoughts were fixed upon higher things. While mopping off the plates he caught glimpses of Mrs. Rose Camp, and her charms held him enthralled.

Mrs. Camp conducts the restaurant and was kind to Kensel, as well as her other employés, and, of course could never dream what was passing through the mind of the dishwasher out in the kitchen. But the youth with the lovesick and crazy brain was going to make an effort to win the affections of his employer, and he would do so by some heroic act. He ventured to approach her room in the early morning hours, and would have gone to unknown lengths if Mrs. Camp had not fought with him and cajoled him for nearly four hours, or until about 7 o'clock in the morning. Then only was it that aid was forthcoming, and Mrs. Camp was rescued from her unpleasant predicament.

When Kensel was arrested by Constable Pritchard he appeared to become absolutely insane, and only at the voice of Mrs. Camp would he recover himself to some extent. She accompanied the officer to this city and swore to an insanity complaint. At first the patient was taken into the deputies' room in the Sheriff's office, but upon an attempt being made to remove him he fought like a wildcat and nothing could be done with him. Then Mrs. Camp was summoned, and at once, with lamb-like obedience, he accompanied her upstairs. Later, again, when being taken into the jail, it took four stalwart deputies to handle the young fellow.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

DIVORCE EXHIBIT.—Mrs. Anna Hillier was granted a decree divorcing her from Joseph Hillier by Judge Trask yesterday, on the ground of cruelty and the new departure was inaugurated of introducing exhibits in a divorce proceeding. It was charged that Hillier had brutally treated his wife, and had on more than one occasion struck her, and a dainty undergarment was produced stained with blood about the neck. This was alleged to have been the result of a brutal attack made upon the wife.

COUNSEL APPOINTED.—Attorney E. W. Camp was appointed by Judge Wilbur yesterday to defend Dr. Heerdink, upon his trial before a jury on a charge of insanity.

MARTIN DIVORCE.—Joseph Martin was granted a decree by Judge York yesterday divorcing him from Emma H. Martin, on the ground of cruelty. The husband is a Frenchman and speaks very little English. He testified that his wife was given over to intemperance, and used to curse and abuse him. To make things worse she used to swear at him in English and the swearing then was much worse and more galling to his feelings. The coarse and mouth-filling English oaths were not possible in the French language.

NITRATE COMPANY.—The North American Nitrate Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $1,000,000, of which amount $25 has been subscribed. The directors are: Joseph Ball, H. A. Greene, R. J. Burton, W. R. Greene and W. W. Butler.

DAMAGES REFUSED.—In the action begun by L. May Bush et al, against the Los Angeles Railway Company to recover damages for the killing of Charles E. Bush, by the electric fluid, Judge York yesterday handed down an opinion in which he gave judgment for the defendant. The deceased was a laborer and was working on an elevated platform in the substation at Ocean avenue and Rampart street. While so engaged he drove a nail through the insulating material covering a big group of the wires and received a heavy discharge in his body.

CONTRACTOR SUED.—Milton P. Adams has sued Carl Leonardt to recover $20,000 as damages. He was engaged with a team and wagon in hauling gravel from the river bed, and while loading the gravel the bank caved and broke his leg, and otherwise injured him.

CAR DERAILED.—P. G. Turner was working near Groff's station for the Lacey Manufacturing Company and went to and from work traveling with others on a handcar that ran along the Santa Fé track. One day Turner put the car on the track wrong end first, and when it was started up it jumped off. He had his nose broken and suffered other injuries and now is suing the Lacey Company for $2000 as damages.

RIGHTLY NAMED.—The Unique Club has just incorporated and the purpose of the incorporation is set out

GRIFFITH'S SATIRE ON HIS FORMER LAWYERS.

GRIFFITH filed a hot answer yesterday against his former attorneys, Charles Silent and J. D. Works, who want $16,000 more fees than Griffith thinks they ought to have.

It is the answer to their suit for $20,000 fees.

This is the way in which he alludes to his murderous attack upon his wife, for which he has been sentenced to two years in State's prison:

"On account of an unfortunate accident, it was commonly published and circulated in and about the city of Los Angeles that the defendant, Griffith J. Griffith, had attempted, on or about said date, to murder his wife, etc."

Griffith makes a vicious slash at Attorney Silent in the course of the answer, claiming that Mr. Silent came to him and solicited the job of defending him.

Griffith says: "Charles Silent visited the said defendant, Griffith J. Griffith, at his place of business and suggested to him that from reports circulated, the said defendant was in immediate need of the advice and counsel of an attorney and then and there he, the said Charles Silent, solicited of said defendant the employment of himself as attorney," etc.

Griffith states in the answer that, when the divorce suit and the injunction suit were filed, he and Silent agreed that another lawyer was needed. Griffith claims that Works was selected by them; that Silent agreed that the total fee he (Griffith) would have to pay would be $5000 for both lawyers' services in all the various suits.

When Mr. Works was consulted, Griffith claims that he assented to the arrangements and to the fee of $5000 which he and Silent were to divide.

In behalf of the Briswalter Land and Water Company, which is Griffith incorporated, it is answered that Mr. Silent was employed to effect a settlement between the Briswalter Company and the Easton and Eldridge Company for a fee of $500, but that the settlement has not yet been effected.

Griffith asserts crushingly that the services performed by Messrs. Silent and Works were only worth about $2000, but to keep peace in the family he paid them $4000, $1000 in the beginning as a retainer and $3000 when they retired from the case. He claims that they accepted this last $3000 with the understanding that it was to be satisfaction in full of their bill.

The answer was prepared, of course, by Griffith's present attorneys, and submitted to him yesterday in jail, where he waxes smug and happy.

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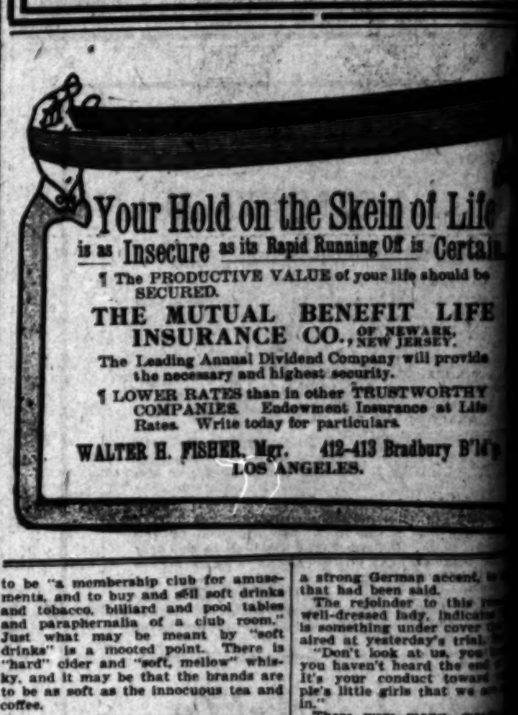

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to be "a membership club for amusements, and to buy and sell soft drinks and tobacco, billiard and pool tables and paraphernalia of a club room." Just what may be meant by "soft drinks" is a mooted point. There is "hard" cider and "soft, mellow" whisky, and it may be that the brands are to be as soft as the innocuous tea and coffee.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

HOT TIME FOR ANGRY GERMAN.

BEAT HUMANE SOCIETY IN FIRST ROUND—MORE COMING.

Something Sensational Said to be Under Cover—Failure of Effort to Make a Burglary Out of Minor Offense — Drivers of Automobiles Have Ceased to Smile.

There was a great uprising of the people of North Bunker Hill avenue yesterday. They turned out in full force to attend the trial of Gilbert Sellsted in Justice Austin's court.

At the instance of some of his neighbors, the Humane Society had arrested Sellsted for brutal abuse of one of his children—a bright little girl of about 10 years, but small for her age. Feeling ran high against the man and there was strong evidence against him to the effect that he ran the child down on the street, carried her back to his own house and threw her on the lawn, picked her up by the hair and bumped her with his knee and then, still holding her by the hair, shoved her into the house ahead of him. All the while the child was screaming at such a rate that the whole neighborhood was stirred up over it, and the screams continued long after Sellsted had taken the child in the house. It was also shown that the little girl was compelled to carry the heavy garbage cans to the curb and do other work that no child should be asked to do.

One or two witnesses testified that the little girl appeared to be stubborn, and Justice Austin concluded that the man was justified to a limited extent in seeking to control his child, and after warning him that this arrest should teach him a lesson, dismissed the case.

There was an exciting scene in the courtroom as Sellsted and his wife were leaving, and there were hot words between them and a number of ladies who had witnessed the trial.

"A man has a right to control his own children," retorted Sellsted with a strong German accent, to that had been said.

The rejoinder to this re well-dressed lady, indicate is something under cover aired at yesterday's trial.

"Don't look at us, you you haven't heard the end It's your conduct toward ple's little girls that we a in."

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BURGLARY HARD

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Although the State la burglary may be com the breaking of locks, certain elements that are a essary in order to make must be shown that the tered for the express pu bery, and that is a hard ; would seem to require prisoner had told somebo tentions to go in and steal must enter the place at hours.

Attorneys for the two h the contention yesterday essential elements of burglary and moved to dismiss the tice Chambers was ready to adjourned the case until this by consent of all parties, inspect authorities that Dep cutor Keyes wishes to pres consideration.

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OFFICERS CHOSEN.

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CAMINO BODY PERMANENT.

Santa Barbara Convention Ends Its Labors.

Selections of Officers and Executive Committee.

Success Rests on Sentiment, Lummis Says.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.] SANTA BARBARA, April 20.—Its labors ended, the Camino Real convention adjourned today. A permanent organization for the continuance of the work has been formed. It is to be known as the Camino Real Association of California.

Among the purposes of the permanent organization set forth are: To unite all the interests of the State in a general plan for road improvement which will have the cooperation of all supervisors and officials; such plan to include the procuring of legislation that will provide for the participation of the State government in the preliminary location, surveying and platting of a comprehensive system of roads for the State, and an appropriation of a proportion of the funds necessary for the construction of the same, and to provide for such a purpose a fair proportion of such moneys as may be appropriated by the national government for road building, and by it apportioned to the State of California; to mark the original Spanish road from the missions of San Diego and Sonoma and recording its location; securing surveys of the original Camino Real in each county; to obtain an entire road a memorial highway bearing the name of El Camino Real and urge its extension to the northern limits of the State; to foster a uniformity in the ornamentation of the borders of public highways and abutting property.

The Executive Committee has power to call meetings of the membership of the association upon written request of one-third of the entire membership and upon petition to fix the compensation of the officers of the association while in the discharge of their duties; to manage the affairs of the association and incur expenses, up to the amount of funds in the hands of the treasurer. The personnel of the Executive Committee consists of ten members. On the first day of April of each year the members are to be elected by a convention of delegates.

ADJOURNED ON SENTIMENT.

The motion was made by Charles F. Lummis, bearing on the sentiment of the convention.

"I have lived on the frontier for years, and during that time I have had to deal with savages and civilized men and even with union men, and that in all these dealings I have done nothing without sentiment," he said. "The movement has been the keynote of the prosperity of the great State of California, and if we obliterate sentiment there would be more than people. We are invoking sentiment in the very name, El Camino Real, and if the great State Association is to be called by any other name the whole project wouldn't stand a chance."

Mr. Lummis of Santa Ana spoke on the subject of the good-roads movement and State Highway Commissioner Hyatt read a paper favoring the movement.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The Executive Committee of the permanent organization is composed of fifteen members, as follows: Los Angeles; Mrs. A. Los Angeles; J. R. San Francisco; Dr. Millspaugh, Los Angeles; Lillian San Francisco; Jarett T. Santa Barbara; George Argyle, Los Angeles; Gail Borden, Los Angeles; Charles F. Lummis, Los Angeles; Mrs. C. Mueller, Los Angeles; Mrs. San Francisco; W. A. Los Angeles; Frank Ey, Los Angeles; M. Weinstock, Sacramento; R. Powers, San Francisco; J. Baker, Los Angeles; William Los Angeles; Benjamin Pasadena.

OFFICERS CHOSEN.

Before the adjournment sine die, the Executive Committee, to which was referred the matter of officers for the ensuing year, met and elected the following: President, A. P. Fleming, Los Angeles; secretary, Mrs. Caroline Seaford; treasurer, Oscar Mueller, Los Angeles, W. J. Variel and Mrs. A. S. C. Forbes, both of Los Angeles, were elected auditors. A committee to be appointed by President Fleming will choose eight vice-presidents-at-large and an advisory committee of eight district vice-presidents or organizers, one from each Congress district. At the close of the committee business, the convention was adjourned sine die.

A. P. FLEMING
President State El Camino Real Association.

HAYS INDICTED.

"Tom" is Held to Trial in the United States Court on Five Counts.

The Federal Grand Jury yesterday returned a true bill against "Howard T. Hays," for "embezzlement of the funds of the Orange Growers' National Bank of Riverside, and falsification of the books."

Hays was indicted on five counts. The first three of these were for falsification of the books—two of them for false entries on the $5000 embezzlement, and one for false entries on the $1600 embezzlement. The two final counts were for straight embezzlement, one for $5000, and the other for $1600.

Hays's bond was fixed at $30,000. A bench warrant was issued for him, and the opinion is that he will be over today or tomorrow to give bail. His attorneys tried to reduce the bail, but the judge refused to be persuaded.

The Hays case will doubtless not be called until the second Monday in July. This is as early as it can come on the court calendar, and then—as a court official wittily put it—it may not come to actual trial until "a week from next fall."

POLICE COURT NOTES.

When the cases of the two hold-up artists, J. B. Hedges and George Garrity, were called by Justice Austin yesterday, they secured a continuance until next Tuesday, through their attorney, Earl Rogers.

Jack O'Brien and John Burns are charged by Officer Lennon with having stolen fifty feet of garden hose from in front of a store on East First street. They will be tried this afternoon.

T. E. Lackey and W. H. Leahy were held in $1500 bail each for trial in the Superior Court for having stolen a coil of copper wire from the Kern River Light and Power Company.

The automobilists are putting up a fight to stave off the payment of heavy fines for fast driving. Yesterday M. W. Church argued that he could not have been exceeding the limit of eight miles an hour, but the officer who arrested him said he was going twenty. He said the fine business "is getting monotonous," and the court let him down with $5. Ed Cosgrove pleaded not guilty and will have a trial on April 29.

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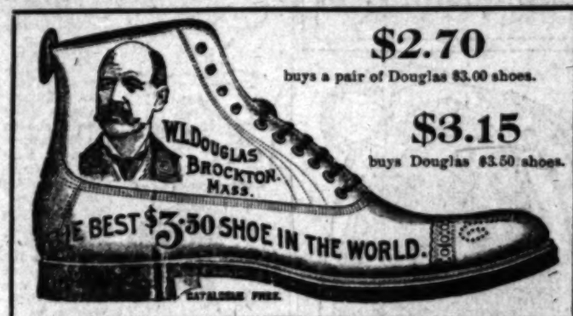

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EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

AMID shouts of girlish laughter, and showers of delicate rose petals, Miss Grace Maile of No. 1214 Ingraham street was surprised by the members of the Raggazza Club and a host of other friends yesterday afternoon. Returning from a luncheon, the door was opened to her great surprise on the bevy of pretty girls who gathered in honor of her recently-announced engagement to Ellis Fisher. The girls of the Raggazza Club planned this surprise for one of their most popular sisters. This club has been recently organized, and the name signifies in Italian, girl, so it really means girls' club.

The house was strung with yellow hearts and white ribbons, these being the colors of the club, and from the chandeliers large hearts swung. White roses in graceful clusters were about the rooms, and asparagus plumosus formed a frieze on the walls. Asparagus plumosus and bridal wreath were in the dining-room and calla lilies were banked over the buffet. A game was played which consisted of writing descriptions of the people in the room in poetry. These were then read, and everyone was required to guess whom the poetry fitted. This was the cause of much merriment, and prizes were awarded. The first, a handsome Japanese card case, went to Mrs. Hill. After the game Miss Maile was called into the hall just below the stairs, and a large heart-shaped box swung mysteriously above her head. Finally out of it tumbled all sorts of the most beautiful pieces of linen which a charming bride-to-be could possibly wish to possess.

Later refreshments were served, which consisted of dear little heart-shaped ices, in yellow and white, and bon-bons and cakes were also in the prevailing colors. The members of the club each presented Miss Maile with a handsomely-embroidered towel.

Besides the members of the club, there were other guests present, making in all about thirty, and best of all, the beautiful white-haired, Madonna-faced mother of the girl on whom all this loveliness was showered. She presided over her rosebud garden of girls with a motherly love which was touching to behold.

Miss Maile is an exquisitely dainty and pretty girl, with golden hair, and

MISS GRACE MAILE.

laughing blue eyes. She is a daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Maile. Mr. Fisher is a graduate of Yale, and before coming to this city made his home in Fargo, N. D. The wedding has been set for the early part of May, and promises to be one of interest. Members of the Raggazza Club who planned the surprise are Miss Helen Day, Miss Edna Waterman, Miss Lura Maile, Miss Alice Blanchard, Miss Stella Blanchard, Miss Madge Henry, Miss Margaret Henry, Miss Myrna Baldwin and Miss Grace Maile.

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For the Bishop.

Mrs. C. C. Desmond of No. 946 Alvarado street was the hostess on Tuesday evening at a delightful dinner given in honor of Bishop Conaty. The table decorations were California poppies and covers were laid for twelve. After dinner the guests were entertained with music by Clarence Cook.

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Box Party at Orpheum.

Miss Helen W. Bushnell gave a box party at the Orpheum on Saturday afternoon, in honor of her guest, Miss Ernestine Todd of Santa Paula. After the theater, a dainty supper was served at the Angelus grill. A large bunch of red roses ornamented the center of the table. The place cards were decorated with the monogram of the hostess and hand-painted roses. Those present were: Miss Earnestine Todd, Miss Angel Miles, Miss Annabel Owen, Miss Nell McCutcheon and Mrs. Lucia E. Warner.

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Mennell-Hancock.

Last evening a pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Mennell of No. 2626 Vermont avenue, when Miss Rachel Pearl Mennell was united in marriage to Paul Clifford Hancock. Rev. E. A. Healy had charge of the service, and music was rendered by Miss Dorothy Barrett and the Ladies' Venetian Orchestra. Miss Barrett played the "Wedding March" from "Lohengrin," and the orchestra gave the Mendelssohn march at the close of the service, also playing through the reception hours. The only attendants were the two pretty little flower girls, Helen Huntsberger and Helen Schuster. They wore gowns of Swiss and carried baskets of rose leaves. The bride, who is a dainty type, wore a handsome gown of white embroidered chiffon with garnitures of Chantilly lace, and carried bride roses. The bride wore about her neck a string of gold beads which had been worn by her great-grandmother on her wedding day. The couple stood beneath a bower of asparagus plumosus and bridal wreath, from which swung a bell of white carnations. Carnations and bridal wreath formed decorations in other parts of the room, in the library pink roses were used in profusion, while in the dining-room a bright and attractive color scheme was carried out in scarlet geraniums. A basket ornamenting the table, and scarlet ribbons also added to the beauty of the apartment. Following the wedding, congratulations were received, after which the couple left for a trip to parts unknown. After May 1 they will be at home in the pretty and quaint little home which the bride's father presented at No. 746 Carondelet street.

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For Young People.

Mrs. B. F. Coulter of North Grand avenue entertained the young people of her husband's church last evening with a delightful affair. There were games and music, and more than sixty guests were present. During the evening refreshments were served, and the young folks departed at a late hour declaring they had had a glorious time.

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Monthly Reception.

Tonight the members of the Young Woman's Christian Association are planning to give their regular monthly reception, and this time it promises to be unusually attractive, since they have planned after the reception hours from 8 until 9 o'clock, to hold a reading to be given by seniors of the Cumnock School. Mrs. Burnett's little story, "Louisiana," is to be given. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance. These affairs are open to all.

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Theater Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Letts entertained last evening with a theater party at the Grand Opera house to witness the performance of Sardou's comedy "Divorcons." After the show supper was served at the Angelus. Those who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Letts in the box were: Mrs. Charles Wellington Rand, Miss Ida M. White, Count Boris de Londonier, and Gregory Perkins, Jr.

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For Kentucky Guest.

A picnic was planned a few days ago for Miss Margaret Fales of Kentucky, who has been the guest of Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Cleland of Avenue Forty-nine. Occidental students were the ones who planned the affair and those present were: Misses Laura Dickey, Astelle McClung, Genie McFadden, Julia Winn and Mrs. McClung, and Messrs. Arthur Buell, Rob Cleland, Dan S. Hammack, J. P. Hagerman, George Winn and J. H. McClanahan.

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Church Wedding.

Last evening at the Central Methodist Episcopal Church Miss Laura Hogan became the bride of Ralph W. E. Cole, Rev. Robert Fisher officiating. Miss Hogan was attended by her sister, Miss Juliette Hogan and Benton Van Nuys assisted as best man. The bride was given away by her father, C. S. Hogan. Miss Gertrude Wells rendered the Mendelssohn wedding march and the march from Lohengrin. The bride wore a white crepe de chine with garnitures of chiffon and lace. She carried lilies of the valley. Her sister wore pale blue and carried yellow jonquils. The church was decorated with roses and lilies, and ferns were used in artistic profusion. The young couple left for San Francisco, where they will spend their honeymoon, after which they will return to the city, and reside at No. 1236 West Thirtieth street.

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Embroidery Club.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. James Hanrihan entertained the members of the Embroidery Club at her home, No. 902 Darwin avenue. The afternoon was delightfully spent with music and embroidery, after which a buffet luncheon was served.

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Auf Wiedersehen Club.

Last evening Mrs. G. W. Hart of Grand avenue had as her guests members of the Auf Wiedersehen Club. The house was decorated with cut flowers and ferns, and refreshments were served.

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Notes and Personals.

Mrs. Arthur Vincent of Hamilton, Canada, will receive today with Mrs. C. M. Prager of Girard street.

Mrs. C. M. Hasson has returned from Tacoma, Wash., where she has been for two months, and is located at No. 1030 Iowa street.

Miss Carra Granger of Ontario is visiting her aunt, Mrs. F. G. Kelly, of No. 746 Westlake avenue.

Ned Field, who has been in New York for the past year, passed through Los Angeles a few days ago and visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Field of Coronado street.

Then a woman is nervous her imagination gives fantastic and threatening shapes to the most familiar objects. By day she starts in fear at every sudden or unfamiliar sound. By night the furniture of her room takes on affrighting forms of ghost or goblin. You can't reason with the nerves. Neither logic nor love can quiet them. They must be nourished and then the outcry of the nerves will cease as naturally as a hungry child ceases to cry when fed.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS.

The Ruskin Art Club has just issued a most artistic little folder announcing the third annual exhibition of art works to be held at Blanchard Hall for the week beginning May 3. There will be receptions on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, the committee in charge including Mrs. J. W. Hendrick, Mrs. W. J. Washburn, Mrs. Stephen C. Hubbell, Mrs. A. S. C. Forbes, Miss Letha Lewis, Mrs. W. H. Housh, Mrs. W. M. Dixon, Mrs. Morris Albee and F. W. Blanchard.

The club yesterday morning took up the subject of "French Painting of the Seventeenth Century," being led by Miss Elizabeth Marble and Miss A. M. Donovan. Miss Donovan gave an introductory talk on the "Founding of the French Academy," which was followed by an interesting paper about Nicholase Poissin and his work, by Mrs. G. L. Hutchinson. Mrs. F. H. Snowden gave a talk on Gasper Dughet, and Mrs. W. P. McKe on "The Life and Work of Claude Lorrain." Miss Marble closed the programme by a paper on "Charles Lebrun, President of the Royal Academy of France."

PRUNE TRADE DULL.

New York Market Not in Satisfactory Condition and Explanations Are Lacking.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, April 13.—According to the statements of men who have been in the dried-fruit business for twenty years the prune trade has never been in an unsatisfactory condition as it is now. Within the past week prunes have been sold in this market at 2 cents basis price, for the four sizes in bags f.o.b. The asking price in some instances is only 2½ cents, which is extremely low.

When asked for an explanation of this situation none of the experienced dealers or handlers are able to give it. The simple statement is that there is no demand. Retail distributors are not ordering anything and wholesalers appear to be well supplied. They are not taking fresh supplies from any one. The result is a stagnant market.

But there is some movement. Statistics show that total receipts of dried fruit in this market are larger than last year. Brokers and others say the sales which this movement represents were not made in this market. They say that sales have been made in California, in instances direct from grower to retailer or consumer. This cuts out the middle man or broker, and notwithstanding fair movement he finds practically nothing to do. Some dealers say they are not paying the expense of their telegrams on prunes, and if it were not for other varieties of goods which they carry they would have to close their places.

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There are upwards of twenty beautiful cottages already occupied at South Ocean Park and many more to be built right away—the Los Angeles and Pacific cut off line is about finished and cars will be running to Ocean Park and Santa Monica by way of South Ocean Park very shortly which brings the latter place nearer to Los Angeles than any other beach resort. Electricity, finest sewer system, water and gas are all installed and two stores are built and will soon be opened—you will certainly do well to look into the advantages of South Ocean Park.

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BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.
OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, April 20, 1904.

FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings today were $1,278,082.70, against $1,156,-93.8 for the corresponding day in 1903, and 923.23 for the same day in 1902.

NEW YORK BANK HOLDINGS. The first payment of $10,000,000 has been paid into the banks of New York on account of the Panama republic, and awaits the call of the country. The condition of the New York banks is easy, money being plentiful, but little to call for loans. This condition of affairs seems to affect the country at large, though we on the west coast seldom, if ever, realize any material benefit from a condition such as the payment of this money to Panama. Quite likely the government will create a bond issue to cover the balance due to the Panama Canal Company, which will likely be eagerly sought after by banks of the interior.

BRADSTREET'S agent for Southern California reports splendid crop prospects from adjacent towns, and a good feeling among merchants and growers. The good rains of the past few days have materially benefited growing grain, but the citrus industry will suffer from a dropping of fruit, probably amounting to 25 to 40 per cent.

STOCKS AND BONDS. The Los Angeles Stock Exchange issued the following daily bulletin:

Oil.

Description—	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	$ .19	$ .20¼
Home	.30	.32
Imperial	.29	....
Independent	.12	....
Junction Oil	.22½	.30
Kern	.06	....
Peer (Whittier)	.30	....
Peerless Oil Ref. Co.	.55	.75
Peerless Petroleum	....	.50
Pico Land Co.	.05	.12
Pico Oil & Land Co.	....	.04
Premier (Pref.)	.04	.04½
Red Cross	1.30	1.62
Reed	.06	....
Reserve	1.15	....
Shamrock	57.00	59.00
Shell Co. Oil	....	.05
Shell Co. Pref. Co.	.07	.10
Shell Oil Co. Preferred	85.00	92.50
Shell Oil	.01½	.02
Shell Oil Co.	.01	.02
Silver Tip	....	50.00

BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	$79.50	$ 80.25
Associated & K. E. Ry.	....	100.00
Central Ry.	....	100.00
Pacific Ry.	....	102.00
Portland Cement Co.	....	100.00
Pref. Cement Co. Com.	....	98.00
Pref. City Water Co.	....	102.00
Pref. Water Co.	....	99.00
Pref. Water Co. (old issue)	....	100.00
Pref. Home Tel. Co.	79.00	80.50
Pref. Pacific Coast Com. Strps.	98.00	102.00
Pref. Pacific Ry. Co.	....	103.00
Pref. Redondo Ry. Co.	....	100.00
Pref. Trust & P. Co.	....	100.00
Pref. Water Co.	90.00	94.00
Pref. Water Co.	95.00	100.00
Pref. Water Co.	....	100.00
Pref. Water Co.	....	85.00
Pref. Water Co.	....	100.00
Pref. G. & P. Co.	98.00	104.00

MINING.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	.75	....
Arizona Commercial	....	.01¾
Belmont Copper	....	.01¾
Bingham Copper	.00½	.01
Bonita Gold	....	.02
Boston Con.	11.00	....
Brunswick Con.	45.00	48.00
Butte & L. M. Co.	....	.60
Butte Coalition	....	.30
Butte Consolidated	14.50	....
Butte Con.	....	.05½
Butte & Ely	.19	.20
Butte & Montana	6.25	6.50
Butte Monitor	.02	.03
Butte Reward	....	.70
Butte United	....	.03
Calumet & Arizona Co.	....	.03½
Calumet & Hecla	11.00	11.50
Cananea	.15	....
Cactus M. & M. Co.	.38	....
Cactus Mines	.10	....
Cactus-California	.05	....
Cactus-Nevada	.16	.20
Carson	.01	....

BANKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	$100.50	$110.00
Broadway Bank & Trust	160.00	180.00
Central	160.00	180.00
Citizens' National	151.00	....
Columbia Savings Bank	110.00	115.00
Commercial	162.00	167.00
Dime Savings Bank	112.00	....
Equitable Savings Bank	118.00	....
Farmers & Mer. Nat'l	212.00	221.00
First National	200.00	....
German-American	225.00	....
Los Angeles National	152.00	191.00
Los Angeles Trust Co.	95.00	100.00
Merchants' National	150.00	....
National Bank of Cal.	135.00	....
Security Savings Bank	260.00	....
Southern California Savings	153.00	....
Southwestern National	109.00	112.00
State Bank & Trust	100.00	....
Union Savings Bank	115.00	....
Union Trust Co.	200.00	....
United States National	100.00	....

* per cent. paid up.

MISCELLANEOUS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	....	$ 60.00
Edison Electric	65.00	66.50
Home Telephone	44.50	45.50
Los Angeles Gas	45.00	47.00
Los Angeles Ry.	34.00	....
Pacific Electric	36.00	36.50
Pacific Light & Power	....	100.00
Pacific Lighting Corp.	....	100.00
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EXILED JEWS LOCATE HERE.

Roumanian Hebrews Form a Local Colony.

Society Started to Care for Their Brethren.

Exiles May Attempt an Agricultural Settlement.

"Hahabas Achim," or the Roumanian Jewish Aid and Relief Society, is the very latest organization in Los Angeles for humane work; and as its name indicates its purpose is to extend help to the unfortunate Roumanian Hebrews who have sought a safe shelter in a more hospitable land.

The new society was organized at a meeting held Tuesday evening on Banning street, and is composed entirely of Roumanian exiles, who have come to Los Angeles within the past two years. Their purpose is to give practical aid to their brethren as they arrive, and to put them in the way of becoming self-supporting as soon as possible after landing here.

Los Angeles now has a colony of about one hundred Roumanian Jews, and more are on the way here from the old country. It is to aid these newcomers that matters are being pushed so vigorously at present.

The officers of the new society, "Hahabas Achim," are Morris Lebovitz, president; Solomon Beck, vice-president; Joseph Robinsbon, secretary; Jacob Rubenstein, treasurer; Miss Adelia Rubenstein, Miss Clara Rubenstein and Mrs. Amelia Rappaport, trustees, and other minor offices are to be filled by appointment.

Among various plans discussed by the society, one favorably considered is the establishment of a Hebrew agricultural community somewhere in the immediate vicinity of Los Angeles, and various other enterprises will be fostered by the organization, so that as soon as members of the race arrive there will be openings for them.

The Roumanian settlement in Los Angeles began about two years ago, immediately after the passage of the stringent anti-Jewish laws in Roumania. For the distribution of the throngs of Roumanian Hebrews who flocked to New York much credit is due to the Independent Society B'nai B'rith, whose national officers apportioned the exiles out to the various larger cities of the country, and used its means to look after them until they were fairly settled.

Much of this practical help was accorded to those who came to Los Angeles, and it is now stated that there is now not one of the colony who is not self-supporting, and in several instances the heads of families have undertaken the payment of homes out of their earnings.

The benefit these people have received, and their own personal knowledge of the keen need of such help among those yet to come, have prompted the Roumanian colony here to form the organization spoken of, and to start plans for relief.

At the present time nearly all of the Roumanian Jews live in the Eighth Ward, mostly along Banning, Amelia and Jackson streets. In the settlement there are tailors, shoemakers, hatters and salesmen, besides several of the professions. In matters of religion they affiliate with the old Orthodox congregation, and since coming here have allied themselves with the synagogue on Olive street.

The latest arrivals landed in this city last week, and more are expected within a short time. When the enormous exodus from Roumania to New York began, it soon became apparent to the Jewish Americans that unless some energetic measures were taken at once, there would form in New York a horde of Hebrew people with little chance of employment, and with really no chance of absorbing American manners and methods. It was decided that the best thing to do with them was to scatter them out to every city where there was a considerable Jewish settlement, and thus increase their chances for individual development and their opportunities for becoming Americanized.

ON THE WATER FRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES

ARRIVED—WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20.

Steamer Francis H. Leggett, Capt. Johnson, 2 days from Eureka, via San Francisco.

Steamer Santa Cruz, Capt. Olsen, 7 days from Caspar.

Schooner Sailor Boy, Capt. Olsen, 7 days from Caspar.

Schooner Argus, Capt. Rudbach, 20 days from Bellingham.

Schooner Dora Bluhm, Capt. Nelson, 11 days from Eureka.

Schooner Carrier Dove, Capt. Jensen, 18 days from Tacoma.

SAILED—WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20.

Steamer Santa Cruz, Capt. Gielow, for San Francisco and way ports.

Schooner Ruby, Capt. Korth, for Coquille River, in ballast.

Schooner Scotia, Capt. Bennett, for Port Townsend, in ballast.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20.

Steamer Francisco H. Leggett, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Steamer Santa Cruz, Salt Lake wharf.

Steamer Iaqua, Southern Cal. L. Co. wharf.

Steamer San Gabriel, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.

Tug Liberty, Southern Pacific wharf.

British ship Cleomene, S. P., L. A. & S. L. wharf.

Barkentine John C. Meyers, Southwestern L. Co's. wharf.

Schooner Manila, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Susie M. Plummer, St. Cal. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner R. C. Slade, Patten & Davies L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Expansion, S. P. R. R. wharf.

Schooner Cecelia Budden, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Zampa, Southern Pacific wharf.

Schooner Alice McDonald, Southern Pacific wharf.

Schooner Willie R. Hume, Southern Pacific wharf.

Schooner Sailor Boy, E. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Argus, E. K. Wood L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Dora Bruhm, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.

Schooner Carrier Dove, anchored Outer Harbor.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Steamer Santa Monica, from Eureka, via San Francisco.

Steamer Samoa, from Caspar, via San Francisco.

Steamer W. H. Kruger, from Eureka, via San Francisco.

Steamer Alcatraz, from Greenwood, via San Francisco.

Steamer South Coast, from Caspar, via San Francisco.

Steamer South Bay, from Eureka, via San Francisco.

Barkentine Portland, from Bellingham.

Barkentine Mary Winkelman, from Tacoma.

Barkentine Charles F. Crocker, from Everett.

Schooner William Renton, from Bellingham.

Schooner Alice McDonald, from Portland.

Schooner Charles R. Wilson, from Aberdeen.

Schooner Endeavor, from Port Townsend.

Schooner Winslow, from Everett.

Schooner F. S. Redfield, Olympia.

Schooner Challenger, South Bend.

Schooner Mary Winkelman, Tacoma.

Schooner Melrose, Everett.

Schooner E. H. Jackson, from Portland.

Schooner Bertha Dohlbeck, from Eureka.

Schooner Salem, from Port Gamble.

Schooner Novelty, from Aberdeen.

Schooner Aloha, from Raudon.

Schooner O. M. Kellogg, from Eureka.

SCHEDULED FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

British bark Hawthornbank, from Antwerp, out 190 days.

German ship Asia, from Antwerp, out 142 days.

British ship Wray Castle, from Rotterdam, out 96 days.

German ship Bertha, from Antwerp, loading.

TO LEAVE—THURSDAY, APRIL 21.

Steamer Iaqua, Capt. Jorgensen, for Eureka, via San Francisco.

Barkentine John C. Meyer, Capt. Simonsen, for Tacoma, in ballast.

FRIDAY, April 22—Steamer San Gabriel Capt. Green, for Eureka, via San Francisco; schooner Expansion, Capt. Larsen, for Tacoma, in ballast.

SATURDAY, April 23—Steamer Francis H. Leggett, Capt. Johnson, for San Francisco.

SUNDAY, April 24—Steamer Bonita, Capt. Gielow, for San Francisco and way ports.

SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Bonita, San Francisco.

Steamer San Pedro, Eureka.

Steamer Chehalis, Gray's Harbor.

Steamer Greenwood, Greenwood.

Steamer Grace Dollar, Gray's Harbor.

Barkentine Robert Sudden, Aberdeen.

Barkentine Quicksteep, Port Townsend.

Barkentine J. M. Griffith, Port Hadlock.

Schooner Spokane, Port Gamble.

Schooner C. F. Holmes, Tacoma.

Schooner Muriel, Aberdeen.

Schooner Salvator, Everett.

Schooner Bertie Minor, Eureka.

Schooner Glyer J. Olsen, Port Townsend.

Schooner Alvena, Port Townsend.

Schooner Columbia, Port Townsend.

Schooner William Nottingham, Port Townsend.

Schooner Ruth E. Godfrey, Aberdeen.

Schooner J. H. Coleman, Anacortes.

Schooner Lottie Bennett, Victoria.

Schooner Marion, Aberdeen.

Schooner Lucy, Umpqua.

Schooner Maweema, Port Townsend.

Schooner Taurus, Seattle.

Schooner C. T. Alexander, Tacoma.

Schooner Hattie Lah, Umpqua.

Schooner Caroline, Umpqua.

Schooner Sadie, Umpqua.

Schooner C. S. Holmes, Astoria.

Schooner Lizzie Fries, Bandon.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and returns.

MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20.

All the boats of the "mosquito" fleet remained at their moorings in the inner harbor today on account of rough weather outside.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Thursday, April 21		9:13 a.m.	7:12 a.m.
		9:36 p.m.	7:29 p.m.
Friday	" 22	1:35 a.m.	8:29 a.m.
		2:43 p.m.	9:07 p.m.
Saturday	" 23	3:16 a.m.	9:42 a.m.
		4:44 p.m.	10:31 p.m.
Sunday	" 24	4:35 a.m.	10:47 a.m.
		5:32 p.m.	11:33 p.m.
Monday	" 25	5:43 a.m.	11:41 a.m.
		6:15 p.m.	
Tuesday	" 26	6:41 a.m.	0:22 a.m.
		6:57 p.m.	12:35 p.m.
Wednesday	" 27	7:35 a.m.	1:09 a.m.
		7:36 p.m.	1:19 p.m.

PORT ITEMS.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

WEATHER: Cloudy at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 16 miles.

The steamers Santa Monica and W. H. Kruger from Eureka and Samoa from Caspar are due to arrive with full cargoes of lumber for local wholesalers.

The schooner Sailor Boy is in port from Caspar with 250,000 feet of lumber consigned to the E. K. Wood Lumber Company.

Capt. Learmont of the British ship Cleomene, discharging here, states that after his cargo is discharged he will remain at this port for several months, having a charter at Seattle in the fall.

The following masters of Pacific Coast vessels have been enrolled: Schooner Laura Madsen, F. H. Cook, master; screw-steamer Richmond, E. Olsen, master; steamer George F. Haller, L. G. Haaven, master; screw-steamer Bon King, R. Rasmussen, master.

The steamer Francis H. Leggett arrived today from Eureka with a full cargo of lumber consigned to local wholesalers.

The schooner Argus, 20 days from Bellingham, brought 800,000 feet of lumber consigned to the E. K. Wood Lumber Company.

The dredger being used in the construction of the new pier at Long Beach is being loaded with lumber in the inner harbor, which will be used in building the pier.

The schooner Santa Ana arrived late last night from Eureka with 350,000 feet of redwood lumber consigned to the Kerckhoff-Cuzner Mill and Lumber Company.

The schooner Carrier Dove is anchored in the Outer Harbor with a full cargo of lumber consigned to local wholesalers, and loaded at Tacoma.

The schooner Ruby finished discharging her lumber cargo and sailed in ballast for the Coquille River to load a return cargo for local wholesalers.

The passenger and freight steamer Santa Cruz arrived today from San Francisco and way ports with 200 tons of merchandise consigned to the Pacific Coast Steamship Company. After discharging, she took a return cargo and cleared for San Francisco and way ports.

The schooner Soquel, Capt. Bennett, finished discharging her lumber cargo and sailed this afternoon in ballast for Port Townsend for orders.

Northern Shipping News.

PORTLAND (Or.) April 20.—Arrived: Schooner C. H. Holmes, from San Pedro.

SEATTLE, April 20.—Arrived: Bark Turgot, from San Diego.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

LOS ANGELES, April 20, 1904.

Amelia Van Valkenburg to O H Mennet, part lot 4, block 12, R 2, Wilmington, $1500.

Charles J Brown (sometimes written C A Brown) and Ella E Brown to Lois H Nash, lot 112, Keeler's subdivision Santa Anita, $10.

E Mamie Welcome and S Byron Welcome to Emma A Payne, lot 67, E A Miller's subdivision Workman & Hellman's subdivision, $500.

Los Angeles Building Company to F M Ambrose, lot 12 and part lots 18, 19 and 20, Williams Lacy's subdivision East Los Angeles, $10.

A R Garrett and H P Garrett to Inglewood Water Company, lot B, block 286, Inglewood, $100.

Clifton J Pratt to Ralph E Pearce, lot 7, Lesner's lower tract, $10.

William M Garland and Blanche H Garland to W J Fisher, lot 124 and part lots 123, 205, 206, 207 and 4 Fourth-street Bridge tract, $10.

Frank A Strong and Pearl Strong vs John G Eads, lot 2, Daly & Mettler tract; lot B, Strong & Dickinson's Maple-avenue tract, $10.

John Cole and Mary Cole to Mrs Martha H Grover, portion lots 7 and 4, block 27, Angeleno Heights, $1200.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Belle B Burger, reconveyance of part lot 2, subdivision Rancho San Pasqual, $10.

Belle B Burger and S L Burger to Chester C Foster, part lot 3, Jewett's subdivision Rancho San Pasqual, $10.

Andrew S Shorb and Mattie L Shorb to Mrs Lucy J Reynolds, lot 4, Grand Avenue and Adams street, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Pomona Land and Water Company, reconveyance of lots 6 and 7, block J, Palomares tract.

H Margaret and Wareham and Helen Worsham to Home Oil Company, part section 22, 2 S 11, $10.

Margaret B Wornham, guardian of estate of Charles Mason Worsham, a minor, to Home Oil Company, undivided ¼ interest in part section 22, 2 S 11, $750.

M L McCray and J W McCray to Margaret B Worsham, Helen Worsham and Charles Mason Worsham, apart section 22, 2 S 11.

Home Oil Company to and from Margaret B Worsham, Helen Worsham and Charles M Worsham, agreement as to quarrying on above land.

W J Fisher and Anna M Fisher to W B Marwin, lots 211, 212 and 213, Kohler tract, $10.

W B Merwin to William M Garland, lots 211, 212 and 213, Kohler tract, $10.

Henry West Hughes and Cora J Hughes to Title Insurance and Trust Company, part lot 34, Rowland tract, $10.

Peter Thill and Anna Thill to G F Mondon and H B Gustin, lot 21, Bronson tract, $10.

Garnsey Investment Company to Royal Anderson, part lot 62, Shahler tract, $675.

Lillian M Nicolai and Charles Nicolai to William Brill, lot 5, block 70, San Pedro, $10.

Frank D Black and Kate H Black to B R Strong, lots 7, 8, 9, 12 and 14, block A; and lot 5, block B, Keefers, subdivision Santa Anita, $1750.

K L Daughtery and Dora D Daughtery to C U Bunnell and Ceres B Bunnell, lot 15, Joseph Wallace's subdivision Pasadena, $10.

Clarence U Bunnell and Ceres B Bunnell to K L Daughtery and Dora D Daughtery, in rebuilding of K L Carr's tract No 1, lots 13 and 17 and part lot 31 and alley now vacated, $10.

W H Reman and Eunice H Reman to S F Wayman, lots 14, 17 and 19, block 32, Burbank, $10.

B O Kendall and Effie R Kendall to LeRoy D Ely, part lot 6, Reynold's tract, $10.

Madeline F Wills to H Kuhry, part lots 23 to 28, block 69, Long Beach, $10.

Madeline F Wills to J E Shrewsbury, part lots 23 to 28, block 69, Long Beach, $10.

J E Shrewsbury and Georgia M Shrewsbury to A H Kuhry, part lots 22 to 28, block 69, $36.

W J Wadhams and Myrtle M Wadhams to Mrs C H Mueller, lots 12, 13 and 14, block 7, Brockway Heights Ganahl tract, $10.

Albert M Stephens, Mrs M W Stephens and Moye W Stephens to Mrs Emilie Strangman, lot 79, Lake Side tract, $10.

J E Pomeroy and Georgina S Jones to John P Chapman, lots J and K, block 181, Santa Monica, $10.

A R Fraser, G M Jones and H R Gage to Milton Carlson, lot 27, block 4, Country Club tract, $701.

R F Lotspeich and Annie S Lotspeich to William R Staats Company, part lot 12, block B, San Pasqual tract, $10.

Dolgeville Land Company and San Gabriel Wine Company to John Stuart, lot 20, block 2, Dolgeville, $10.

John Stuart to Christian Horn, part lot 20, block 2, Dolgeville, $10.

William C Henderson and Winnie E Henderson to Alfred Seminck and Edelle Vanderlinden Seminck, part lot 1, block 3, Moulton's addition, $400.

Ada B Gordon Redderly to John R Taylor, part lot 4, block B, Ainsworth tract, $10.

J V Bartow, Jane E Bartow and E O Miller, trustee for Citizens' Savings Bank of Long Beach and Citizens' Savings Bank of Long Beach to A E Eastwood, lot 17, block 1, Bartow tract, $10.

N L Miller and O S Miller to J H Tabor, part lots 121 and 122, Alexander Weill tract, $100.

Nathaniel F Coe and Emma Coe to Antoine Revelon and Justin Rousseu, 10 acres in Rancho La Ballona, $2500.

Lewis S Powell and Margaret B Powell to John Foster and Anna Foster, part lot 4, block 1, Garvey Ranch, $10.

Gerhard Eshman and Louise Eshman to D Clarke, lot 21, Clarke & Bryan's Figueroa street tract, $10.

Louis Floersheim and Julia Floersheim to John J Bodkin, lot 74, Victor Heights tract, $10.

Alice J Gastren to H R Dodd, lot 9, block 2, Miguel's subdivision of Cells Vineyard tract, $25.

Charles Abbott Elder to J M Butler, lots 16 and 17, Butler & Elder's tract, $10.

to Emma M Henderson, lots 20 and 21, Joseph Brooklyn Heights Ganahl tract, $10.

Mary Ellen Longhead and Joseph Longhead Longhead's resubdivision, $10.

James Henderson and Emma M Henderson to Mary Ellen Longhead, lots 1 and 2, block 21, Philip's tract, Rancho La Puente, $10.

Richard Molony and Kate Molony to Thomas J Cunningham and Patrick J O'Connor, lot 4, subdivision of block 71, Ord's survey, $10.

Rufus Johnston to Mary E Charles, lots 5 and 6, block A, W E Ferguson's subdivision, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Elizabeth Johnson Eagen, lots 13 and 14, block 13, Adams-street Arlington Heights tract, $10.

Emma Cheminson to Ada S Rogers, lot 4, block 2, Cheminson tract, $12.

John Bley to Chester R Smead, portion lot 37, Hoover tract, $35.

Barbara Flory to A W Keating, lots 6, 7 and 8, block 31, Pardbury, $1300.

Rosetta D Stein vs Arthur G Newton, Jennie M Dickson, Margaret Downey and Christina McDonell, decree quieting title in plaintiff to lot 134, Hafen tract.

K T Tohsley, L R Tohsley, Mary Mace and R A Rowan to G A Vlewrey, lots 2, 3, 4 and 4, block 8, Wolfskill Orchard tract, $10.

J A Graves to Jacob Bean, recites that they are owners of part lot 23, Los Robles Park; J A Graves hereby grants to Jacob Bean the right to maintain all pipe and pipe connections leading from Division Box whether by said Bean jointly by Graves & Bean.

Jane Inverarity to Eleuterio Bararena, lots 17 and 17½, block J, Gribbe & Hamilton's subdivision of Vernon Park, $875.

Estate of Susan S Welch, decree distributing to Carrie A Kipp, Ida M Commick, Ernest L Welch, Emma W Strait, Susie A Weis, Cora W Patterson and Cornelia W North, lot 4, block A, Martin tract.

M J Reynolds, Jane Reynolds, F H Robinson and Emma Robinson to Mary McDougall, part section 34, 7 N 12, $10.

S M O Huddleston to Glendale Realty Company to Glendale.

Oliver S Bond and Clara A Bond and Glendale Realty Company to Glendale Realty Company, lot 28, block 50, Glendale, $10.

Frances A Flynn to Riverside Heights Company, lot 17, block 1, Highland Park Extension, $10.

D Murphy and Antoinette Murphy to Roman Catholic Bishop of Monterey and Los Angeles, part section 33, 1 N 14, $10.

Mary E Lampher to August Renzelberg and Emma Renzelberg, part lots 10 and 11, Penny tract, $1400.

Sanford Rich and Elizabeth E Rich to Emma H Henderson, lot 121, block 7, Crescent Bay tract, $2000.

Henry C Drewes and Mary E Drawes to Emma H Henderson, lot 1252, block 7, Crescent Bay tract, $5000.

John H F Peck and Margaret B Peck to Thomas Clary, lot 9, Peck's subdivision of block 25, San Pedro, $750.

A L Hunsaker, erroneously written A F Hunsaker, in deed 1293-33, and Jewell F Hunsaker to Miss Prudella V Gilliams, lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, block M, Palms, $10.

Edwin Blake to Esther A Martin, lots 8 and 9, Blake's subdivision of lot 14, Workman & subdivision, $10.

Pacific Land Company to John C Stoel, lot 3, block 2, Bandini tract, $125.

Glendale Water Company to Western Water and Power Company, part section 15, 1 N 9, part section 21, 1 N 9; 120 acres, part section 20, 1 N 9, part section 28, 1 N 9; commencing north 285 feet from the center of Sierra Madre avenue on line of Michigan avenue in Glendora tract, etc; part section 20, 1 N 9; part section 29, 1 N 9, part section 22, 1 N 9; part section 23, 1 N 9; right to develop water in Dalton Canyon and to lay pipe line across part section 21, 1 N 9; right of way in for pipe lines across sections 20, 29 and 30, 1 N 9; exclusive right to lay pipes in streets and alleys in townsite of Glendora; part section 21, 1 N 9; all lands property rights, franchises, rights of way, reservoirs, pumping plants, etc, of first party, $37,171.

Mountain Pass Water Company to Western Water & Power Company, part section 22, 1 N 9, $1.

H S Beaman to Gertrude E Beaman, lots 10, 11 and 12, block A, Spence & Falvey's subdivision, $5.

William Shibley and Sarah M Root to Charlotte A Lukens, lot 4, block G, Legge Tract, beginning at intersection south line Mission and Azusa county road with center line of Baldwin avenue, Rancho San Francisquito, etc, $1200.

Charlotte A Lukens and T P Lukens to Anna H Curtis, lot 4, block G, Legge's Central tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Mary I Durell, lots 324 and 325, Central-avenue Home Tract No 2, $10.

Lilla Reed to L C Reed, part lot 25, Watts subdivision, $200.

Mrs E B Vail to A E Dufur, lot 1, block 66, Burbank, $100.

Grand View Cemetery Association to Vanness Bradley, part lot 79, block B, Grand View Cemetery, $12.

Pasadena Cemetery Association to C R Mennig, part lot 574, Mountain View Cemetery, $150.

Same to same, agreement to care for same, $100.

Albert Crutcher, Frank R Strong and George W Dickinson to Dan Hudgins, lot 14, Davenport's San Pedro-street tract, $10.

Beadie E Hurd to Lena M Hurd, lot 22, block 4, Electric Railway Homestead Association, $10.

Ettie M Fitzackerly, wife of John T Fitzackerly, to Elias J Carter, lot 15, South Park-avenue tract, $10.

James S Locke and Mary G Locke to B X Stanfield, lot 28, Young's addition to Whittier, $10.

Erle D Draper to George S Benson, lots 1 and 2, block 55, Long Beach, $3100.

Enos Morgan, husband of Minerva P Morgan to Minerva P Morgan, part lot 31, block B, Alamitos tract, gift.

Mary E West to D L Marchner, lot 28, block B, Central Beach tract, $350.

Joseph Burkhard and Flora Burkhard to Katherine Bottema, lot 17, block 2, West Adams and Jefferson-street tract, $10.

Ruperto M Estrada to Atiliano Estrada, lot 5, Witherow's addition to Whittier, $450.

W F Poor, Anna A Poor, Sanford C Wing and Lila H Ding to Shaler Wells, lot 4, block 6, Highland Park tract, $10.

T S Palmer and Nancy H Palmer to Rahsmah Young and Emma B Brown, part lot 78, Schieffelin tract, $1700.

J J Curtis and Charlotte Curtis to Stephen Townsend, part lot 2, block 155, Long Beach, $1000.

Edgar Allen and Elizabeth Allen to W S George, part lot 3, R C Hiatt's subdivision, $1500.

C D Middlekauff and Minnie Middlekauff to Robert C Jenkins, lot Q, block 141, Santa Monica, $10.

Alamitos Land Company to Myra H French and Sarah E Fogg, wife of Irving S Fogg, lot 12, Old Homestead Villa tract, $10.

Emma M Cammer and E Y Cammer to F H Robinson and Emma Robinson, lot 4, block 5, Lancaster, $10.

John Metcalf and Belle Raw Metcalf to Los Angeles Pacific Railroad Company, commencing at intersection of west line of land of John Metcalf, with right of way of said railroad, northeast along said right of way 264.31 feet, etc, etc, $10.

D H Gillag and Lizzie S Gillan to John H Bartel, lot 23, block 13, Bay View tract, $10.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Alida Askay, reconveyance of trust property, L L Greenleaf and Nannie Floyd to Mrs R P Greenleaf, lots 525 to 528, lots 100 to 1011, lots 1250 to 1253, Chicago Park tract, $10.

Mrs M J Standefer to same, lot 52, Town & Suburbs of Palmdale, $10.

Thomas McKeever and Margaret McKeever to George H Shafer, lots 16, 17 and 18, Keller lots, and part lot 13, said Keller lots, on north 24, Allen street.

Allie Thompson and Archie Thompson to Leonard Merrill, lots 4, 5 and 6, Leonard Merrill's Adams-street tract, $10.

E Lee Allen to William Kelloway, lots 46, 47 and 75, Sunset Heights, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to F A Barnes, lot 8, block M, Short Line Beach.

Henry Strohm and Susan Strohm to Henry C Bohrmann, part lot 14, subdivision of east 12,000 acres, etc, $175.

Los Angeles Building Company to Allen C Lockhart and Miriam O Lockhart, lot 4, block 5, City Center tract, $10.

W O Polkinghorn and Ida M Polkinghorn to Bertha Mettler and M E Frame, lots 11 and 12, block 12, Adams-street Arlington Heights, $10.

John Sherratt to Frank P Gray and Carrie Carris Louise Gray, agreement to convey lots 23 and 24, Mrs Hall's tract, $2000.

Anna M Townsend and Stephen Townsend to Elijah B Lane, part block 2, town of Seabright, $10.

Charles Bixon to O J Goodwin, agreement to convey lot 21, Strong & Dickinson's Maple-avenue tract, $365.

O J Goodwin to Ella Goodwin, assignment of same.

Sarah M Tomlinson and J C Tomlinson to James Kilburn, lot 20, block 15, Whittier, $2200.

R Verch and Marie Verch to H C Woodward, lot 26, Sanborn tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to H C Woodward, successor in interest of James M Kerr, reconveyance of trust property.

Total, $133,230.

MORTGAGES.

O H Mennent and Mary Mennent to Amelia Van Valkenburg, part lot 3, block 12, range 2, Wilmington, 1 year, 8 per cent, $1250.

Mrs Alice R Schlerritzauer and Joseph A Schlerritzauer to Dollar Savings Bank and Trust Company, lot 41, Roma tract, 1 year, 12 per cent, $350.

Emma A Wayne and Samuel A Wayne to Webster N Kenyon, lot 67, E A Miller's subdivision Workman & Hellman's subdivision, 3 years, 10 per cent, $800.

F M Ambrose to Los Angeles Building Company, lot 12 and part lots 18, 19 and 20, William Lacy's subdivision, East Los Angeles, 1 year, 12 per cent, $300.

Ralph E Pearce to Flora Trull, lot 7, Lesner's Lower tract, 2 years, 10 per cent, $400.

William Lipp and Bertha A Lipp to Security Savings Bank, lot 12, block 1, Mills's subdivision Sabichi tract, 1 year, 10 per cent, $250.

A J Le Sage and Fredeline M Le Sage to Union Bank of Savings, lot 146, Philbin tract, April 15, 1906, 12 per cent, $350.

Elizabeth Bastage to Southern California Savings Bank, part lot 13, block 1, Washington Garden tract, 1 and 2 years, 10 per cent ($240, $180.) $2000.

Daniel A Rich and Mary A Rich to Nettie L Getchell, lot 24, block O, Menlo Park subdivision No 2, 2 years, 10 per cent, $1000.

G F Mondon and H B Gustin to Peter Thill, lot 21, Bronson tract, March 29, 1906, 9 per cent, $2000.

E L Daugherty and Dora D Daugherty to C U Bunnell, lots 14, 17 and part lot 31, and part vacated alley, in Dr Carr tract No 1, 2 years, 9 per cent, $7500.

George V Hale and Lucie B Hale to Victor Carlson and Anna Carlson, lot 5, block 104, Providencia Land, Water and Development Company's subdivision, 1 year, 10 per cent, $1000.

A E Eastwood and Hattie B Eastwood to Citizens' Bank, lot 17, block 1, Bartow tract, 3 years, 10 per cent., $200.

John J Bodkin and Marian Bodkin to Charles Pinney, lot 74, Victor Heights tract, 1 year, $300.

Elizabeth Johnson Eagen to Title Insurance and Trust Company, lots 13 and 14, block 13, Adams street Arlington Heights tract, 1, 2 and 3 years, 9 per cent., 3 notes of $200 each, $600.

F. Maude to Margaret M Garland and C F Pycock, lot 7, C W Smith subdivision lot 5, block 90, Hancock's survey, installments, 7 per cent., $1000.

Marie J Newman and T Newman to Gertie L Bennett, lot 11, block 5, Wilshire boulevard tract, 2 years, 9 per cent., $2500.

Emma H Henderson and James Henderson to Sanford Rich, lot 121, block 7, Crescent Bay tract, 2 years, 10 per cent, $2500.

Same to H C Draves, lot 122, block 7, Crescent Bay tract, 2 years, 10 per cent, $2500.

Jane Wells and Anna J Wells to D McLennan, part lots 14, 15 and 16, block 3, Chester tract, November 1, 1904, 9 per cent, $650.

Walter Rose to Equitable Savings Bank, lot 25, block E, Gassell's subdivision of lot 3, block 28, Hancock's Survey, 1 years, 10 per cent, $400.

Philip Pohlman and Daisy Pohlman to German Savings and Loan Society, part lot 4, Rancho Las Cienegas Survey, $20,000.

Samantha W Allen and W H Allen to Adams-Phillips Company, lot 62, Park Villa tract, 3 years, 7 per cent, $1250.

Lewis B. Spray, Estelle Spray and Carlos A Spray to Samuel S Moore, part lot 17, Gunn & Hazard's plat of Cullen tract, one year, 7 per cent, $400.

F E Bennett to Margaret Adams, lot 70, Dalton Orange Grove tract, 18 months, 10 per cent, $625.

Frank Gould and Effie E Gould to John C Fitzgerald, part lot —, block 4, subdivision No 2, Sunny Slope estate, 2 years, 10 per cent, $1000.

Los Angeles Building Company to Mary E Krikhn, lot 9, Bauer tract, 1 year, 11 per cent, $550.

Carrie E Gates and Dexter C Gates to Harriet D Goodwin, lot 25, block C, Menlo Park, 3 years, 10 per cent, $1800.

Lena Agnes Potts to J Marion Brooks, lots 1 and 2, block 208, Redondo Beach, April 19, 1904, 10 per cent, $625.

H R Stone to Mrs B Stone, lot 13, Peck's subdivision of block 29, San Pedro, 2 years, 6 per cent, $600.

Estate of Frances Addie Rhea, deceased, order authorizing mortgage on lot 28, Maudsley tract.

George A Rhea, administrator of Estate of Frances Addie Rhea, deceased, to Florence Crane Rhea, lot 28, Maudsley tract, April 15, 1904, 10 per cent, $400.

Allen C Lockhart and Miriam O Lockhart to Sarah Ann Barrett, lot 4, block 5, City Center tract, 4 years, 10 per cent, $1200.

Janet B Hinckley to Jennie B Brigham, lot 19, Bernard tract, 2 years, 8 per cent, $200.

Morris Neef and Marie Neef to F Schittwachter, part lots 1 and 2, block 7, Wright's addition to Compton, 1 year, 6 per cent, $50.

Ella I Mitchell to Southern California Savings Bank, lots 13, 14 and 15, Mitchell tract, 1 year, 10 per cent, $2000.

Total, $65,743.

ELSINORE.

OUTLOOK FOR APRICOTS.

ELSINORE, April 20.—Rain began falling Monday about midnight and it rained fitfully through the rest of the night. It was showery all day yesterday, but the rainfall was light. Crops and bee feed are needing rain. The most authentic reports of the apricot crop are more favorable. It was thought that there would be practically no crop this year, but while some orchards may be bare of fruit, the larger ones will not fall far below the average. The big pump at the head of the lake has been running almost continually for a month or more. It pumps fifty inches continuously.

Among recent Lake View arrivals are the following: Mrs. M. A. Sabichi and Miss Sabichi, Los Angeles; E. G. Durant, Pasadena; James Goldthorp, San Diego; L. Lindine, San Diego. Hot Springs arrivals include: J. O. Brown, Will Slater, Thomas Strolun, Los Angeles; J. E. McFarland, A. J. Lall, San Bernardino; W. J. Anderson, San Diego.

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WILL BUILD FINE CHURCH.

CONTRACT LET BY PASADENA CONGREGATIONALISTS.

Building to Cost Twenty-seven Thousand Dollars—D. W. Herlihy Prospective President of the Board of Trade—No Redress of Pole Grievance.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, [illegible] South Raymond Avenue, April [illegible]. E. Sherwin will build the [illegible] new home of the First Congregational Church, and it will cost [illegible] exclusive of the lighting, [illegible] and painting. The lot, at the corner of Green street and Ma[illegible] avenue, cost $11,600.

[illegible] for the work were opened a [illegible] ago, but all were found to exceed the limit the committee had set. [illegible] conferences were held, and it was decided to narrow the building ten [illegible] so as to bring the cost within the [illegible] available. These changes will [illegible] the seating capacity 100 in the [illegible] and fifty in the balcony, [illegible] from this the change rather [illegible] it in appearance, the proportions being more symmetrical than [illegible] planned. The architect has agreed [illegible] alterations and Contractor Sherwin yesterday signified a willingness [illegible] the contract as outlined, that [illegible] may begin at once.

The Building Committee now has [illegible] in cash, and the lot is fully [illegible]. The site is one of the most [illegible] in the city, being centrally [illegible] for the membership, which is [illegible] from those who left the West [illegible] Congregational Church some time [illegible] ago, the first agitation for a [illegible] church building was started. The agitation resulted in the organization that is now the First Church, [illegible] the original members remaining [illegible] as parent organization.

The project for a new church building [illegible] centrally located was started last [illegible] the pastor, Rev. Dr. Robert R. [illegible]. Those efforts have been [illegible] supported by a loyal and energetic congregation. The new building [illegible] congregation has been wor[illegible] in the Y.M.C.A. auditorium, [illegible] the new building is finished [illegible] to hold services there.

STUART IS COY.

J. H. Merriam returned yesterday from San Diego, where he went, [illegible] by Mrs. C. W. Stuart, Jr., [illegible] Eliza J. Beach, for a conference with the husband of Mrs. Stuart. Merriam was successful for [illegible] being as peacemaker for his [illegible] Willie has again vanished, [illegible] his wife that he would [illegible] roam. The conference took [illegible] the Brewster Hotel, and young Mr. Stuart promised to return to Pasadena with the party, but [illegible] changed his mind. Judge Merriam said yesterday:

"I learned that Stuart was in San [illegible] and we went there to arrange [illegible]. In this we were successful. Stuart was accompanied by [illegible], Dr. Eliza J. Beach. We met at the Hotel Brewster, arranged for him to have a private room with his wife in his room. [illegible] of that talk was evidently [illegible] reconciliation between them, and [illegible] seemed to be satisfied and happy [illegible]. But some time afterward a detective employed by Mrs. Stuart's father, but wearing the uniform of a San Diego policeman, came into Mr. Stuart's room and made him believe he [illegible] to go with him. He took Stuart [illegible] one of the private rooms of the restaurant, where liquor is served, and [illegible] efforts to find him after that were [illegible]."

Other questions bearing on the Stuart case were put to Judge Merriam [illegible] by The Times correspondent, [illegible] he asked to be excused from [illegible] as he said, "to correct [illegible] misleading account of this affair [illegible] appeared in another morning pa[illegible]."

BREITWISER WAS WISE.

[illegible] auction party will be held soon [illegible] mourners will be the creditors [illegible] Livingston Breitwiser, a man [illegible] same and more shrewdness, [illegible] has hung up about every [illegible] in Pasadena, about eighty [illegible], and they don't know why. [illegible] he made an assignment, but [illegible] knows what of except his liabilities, for they are all that is in [illegible] A place on Marlin street has [illegible] mortgaged, and all that remains [illegible] is to place the name of Jacob [illegible] Breitwiser in the bad book [illegible] finally by the merchants of [illegible].

HERLIHY FOR PRESIDENT.

[illegible] Herlihy will likely be the unanimous choice of the directors of the [illegible] Board of Trade for president to succeed [illegible] Frank T. Boynton, who does [illegible] for reflection. Mr. Boynton [illegible] early in the coming month [illegible] St. Louis Exposition to represent [illegible] and will be away from [illegible] six or eight months, of the [illegible] of board officers. His [illegible] he would not refuse to [illegible] both as secretary and president, entitles him to a [illegible] the official family.

[illegible] of Mr. Herlihy will [illegible] recognition of service in the [illegible] of the city. He has given [illegible] his time as vice-president, [illegible] never missed a meeting. The [illegible] will take place at Hotel Maryland [illegible] evening.

POLES TO REMAIN.

[illegible] of North Fair Oaks avenue [illegible] considering changing the name [illegible] to "Pole" avenue, since [illegible] Supervisors have decided [illegible] no relief in the matter [illegible] the number of poles one[illegible] requested. Four sets [illegible] mar this otherwise pretty [illegible] it has been suggested that [illegible] and Home Telephone com[illegible] one set, and the electric [illegible] light company another [illegible] companies are satisfied [illegible] arrangement, and if [illegible] residents of the avenue will [illegible].

TO RECEIVE GIFT.

[illegible] wing of the Pasadena [illegible] will be formally received and [illegible] May 2, with a reception afternoon. The addition to [illegible] was made possible through [illegible] of Mrs. Robert J. Burdette. It is hoped that the public will show its appreciation by attendance and contributions to a fund to furnish the [illegible] maintain it. The annual [illegible] of the Pasadena Hospital [illegible] will be held at the [illegible] and place.

MOVE MAY BE SLOWLY.

[illegible] Holder is taking an active interest in the matter of municipal ownership of the water plants, but says [illegible] must be made slowly. Mr. [illegible] said yesterday, in reply to [illegible] interviews on the procedure, that the first opportunity the people will have of expressing themselves on the municipal water question, will be when they are asked to vote yes or no on a specific bond issue.

"It will take several months to work out the problem that is before the Council," he continued, "and, in my judgment, it would be unwise to hold an election upon so important a question in the middle of the summer when so many of our citizens are out of town. I favor doing all work as rapidly as possible, but the election should be delayed until fall, when we can get a full vote."

GROENENDYKE-MOREHOUS.

The palatial home of Col. and Mrs. Clinton Philo Morehous was thrown open yesterday evening to more than seven hundred guests, many of whom had been invited to witness the marriage of Col. and Mrs. Morehous's only daughter, Miss Vera May, and Edward Henry Groenendyke of Pasadena, and others who had been bidden only to the reception which followed the ceremony.

The marriage was solemnized at 8 o'clock by Rev. Malcom J. McLeod of the First Presbyterian Church.

The floral decorations were all in white and green and a studied effect at churchliness was noticeable in the arrangement. The great reception hall was ornamented with quantities of tropical shrubs and potted palms, the stairway guard was entwined with ropes of smilax and outlined with asparagus plumosus. The newel post was hidden under its shield of Easter lilies and in the drawing-room adjoining, where the ceremony was performed, these stately annunciation blossoms were used in great profusion. In a north window embrasure a solid bank of these lilies, relieved by green, formed a background for the improvised altar before which the twain plighted their troth. At the upper end of the drawing-room two massive columns of the lilies were raised from floor to ceiling. The scene was illuminated with the dim cloister-like light made possible by the use only of tall white candles which added greatly to the churchly suggestion.

The library at the left of the hall also showed a similar treatment in white fleur-de-lis, which was displayed in solid masses upon the mantel and in vases elsewhere. The dining-room, too, was in white and green, bride's roses and ferns being used. These almost completely filled in the center of the table upon which the bride's cake was placed and which was illuminated by bride's candles throwing pure white radiance through their virgin shades. Buffet and panels were banked freize high with these fair flowers, twenty dozen being needed for the table ornamentation alone. In the south bay window there was a solid bank of green before which were placed the seats for the bridal party. These were separated from the main dining-room by yards of white tulle and the seats of honor were designated by great white tulle bows.

Upon the second landing of the great stairway Arend's Orchestra was stationed, and at precisely the hour the strains of Lohengrin's "Wedding March" were heard and in solemn procession the bridal party came down the stairs. Lloyd Macy and Harry B. Kay lead the way, followed by the other ushers, Roy Macomber and Morehous Stevens, cousin of the bride. Then came the bridesmaids, Miss Marie Markham and Miss Emma Claypool, followed by Miss Grace Unger of Buffalo and Miss Lillian Guyer. The maid of honor, Miss Angie Holmes, immediately preceded the bride, who came upon her father's arm. No more beautiful nor impressive sight can well be imagined than this group of fair young girls, the very picture of lovely maidenhood, in full and sweeping gowns of every shade of the petals of a La France rose. Miss Claypool and Miss Markham in the palest shade of pink, Miss Unger and Miss Guyer in a deeper hue, and Miss Holmes in a frock like the heart of a half-blown bud. Pink rosebuds in their hair, sheaves of La France roses in their arms, the faint blush of youth upon their cheeks, a dream of beauty. Their gowns were of filmiest chiffon, trimmed with valenciennes of the same shade, fluffing out like wind-blown roses. The bride was strikingly lovely in her robe of heavy white satin, trimmed with Duchess lace. This formed the yoke and angel sleeves, and two deep ruffles of the same rare lace were used in yoke effect upon the skirt of the gown, which was finished at the foot with an applique of pearls and chiffon. Miss Morehous wore the conventional tulle veil, appliqued with a Duchess lace edge, and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. Her veil was fastened with orange blossoms and in the lace at her throat nestled a diamond pin, the gift of the groom. Her only other ornament was a magnificent diamond and pearl pendant, given her by her cousin, Morehous Stevens. This had a priceless pearl in the center surrounded by crushed diamonds and a drop pearl of great beauty finished the design.

The bridal party proceeded to the altar, where they were met by Rev. Malcom McLeod, the groom and his best man, C. Mortimer Henderson. Circled about were the immediate friends of the contracting parties. After the ceremony congratulations followed. Col. and Mrs. Morehous assisting in receiving the many friends who immediately began to come in to the reception. Mrs. Morehous wore a stunning gown of white satin chiffon, which came from Japan and was exquisitely embroidered with a flower design in white with shadows of green and blue. Mrs. Arnold, daughter of Mrs. Morehous, was becomingly attired in a décolleté gown of champagne-colored satin trimmed with Maltese lace.

In the upper hall the wedding gifts were displayed and included the usual wonderful collection of silver, bric-a-brac, cut glass, pictures and magnificent things which are sent to the brides of today whose friends count their fortunes by millions. Few, if any, Pasadena bride has had as many or as beautiful gifts. Adjoining the hall where the presents were spread out is the suite which has been fitted up for Mr. and Mrs. Groenendyke to occupy after their return from their wedding journey, which is to cover a period of six weeks. Their destination is their own secret, but it is generally understood that they are going East.

The ballroom in the third story was not used for dancing, and soon after the guests had extended congratulations and the collation had been enjoyed, the bride was spirited away by her maids to return ready for departure. The usual showering with rice and distribution of the bride's bouquet followed.

The bride's going-away gown was of dark-red cloth. The bodice of liberty silk was accordion pleated with a yoke of Irish point, and the coat which went with it was trimmed with a touch of black soutache. A charming hat of the same red surmounted with five white ostrich plumes completed this handsome costume. The bride gave her maids exquisite pins set with turquoise with a pendant drop pearl. The groom presented his ushers with jeweled stick pins.

The alliance is one for congratulations for both parties. Mr. Groenendyke is most fortunate in securing so lovely a bride, who is as charming as she is beautiful, and will inherit a vast fortune. Miss Morehous is to be congratulated upon her choice of an exemplary young man of sterling worth, whose keen business ability and charming manners are the best guarantee of a brilliant future.

Among distinguished guests from abroad were: Mrs. F. L. Stevens and Mrs. Royce of Chicago, aunts of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold, son and daughter of Mrs. Morehous. Including invitations to the ceremony and reception, more than one thousand were issued, and Pasadena and Los Angeles society were well represented in the attendance at the wedding and later.

BRIEFLY MENTIONED.

Two Japanese, proprietors of a restaurant on North Fair Oaks avenue, deserted and left their place of business to the enemy yesterday afternoon. Chester Walton, a messenger boy for the Western Union, left his wheel in the doorway while he went inside. The tire exploded and the Japs vanished, returning only after they had been assured that the Russian fleet was bottled at Port Arthur.

J. Herbert Hall, chairman of the Banquet Committee, intimates that while the day of grace has been sinned away by those desiring to participate in the spread Thursday night, a few vacant chairs are at the disposal of those who speak for them early today and punctuate their speech with $1.50. The banquet, he says, will be the largest attended of any yet given by the Merchants' Association.

F. C. Platt has gone to his ranch near Rialto to look after his vineyard and other interests.

Neal K. Traylor has returned from an outing at Shepard's Inn, Santa Barbara.

John Haus was yesterday sentenced to serve ninety days for wife-beating. The sentence was passed without trial, as Haus was out on a suspended sentence rendered last October for the same offense.

Members of the Shakespeare Club can have trees for planting Arbor Day by calling at the Park Nursery, West Colorado street, this morning between the hours of 8 and 12 o'clock. Mr. Lukens has donated to each of the 300 members of the club a tree if they will call for and plant it.

Other hotels have their openings and closing, but the latch string of the Hotel Maryland, Pasadena, is always out.

Engraved calling cards at Leonard's. Go to Glasscock's for picture framing. Pictures framed at Wadsworth's.

HOMECOMING SORROWFUL.

LONG BEACH WOMAN FINDS HER SISTER DEAD.

Miss Anna McAllister, Returning from a Week's Absence in Los Angeles, Discovers Body in Cottage With Life Several Days Extinct. Heart Disease the Cause.

LONG BEACH, April 20.—Miss Anna McCallister, returning from a week's stay in Los Angeles this morning, opened the door of her cottage and found the corpse of her sister, Miss Laura McCallister.

The body was much decomposed, and death must have occurred several days ago. The deceased had been a professional nurse and went to Redlands two weeks ago to be absent until May. It is supposed she returned one night last week and after retiring had a fatal attack of heart trouble, with which she had been affected for years.

As the sisters were frequently absent from the house, the neighbors had no knowledge of the woman's sudden taking off. An empty chloroform bottle on the dresser of the bedroom gave rise to a suspicion of suicide, but at the inquest this afternoon the evidence indicated that death resulted from heart disease.

The two sisters had resided in Southern California for twelve years, and were well known in Los Angeles, Riverside and Redlands.

BEACH NOTES.

The first load of lumber for the new wharf arrived this morning. There is 150,000 feet of it and it is dressed. It is for the approach. Superintendent Corbaley has a force of men today tearing away the old structure and as the concrete foundations are finished he expects to have the superstructure completed to the pavilion by the last of May.

The Long Beach Equal Suffrage Club will send a considerable delegation to the county convention to be held at Unity Church, Los Angeles, tomorrow. The delegates are Rev. C. W. Bonner, Mrs. M. H. Dallas, Mrs. J. L. Pickens, Mrs. Rhoda Hare, Dr. Ella Whipple-Marsh, Mrs. Mary Brown, Rev. W. K. Beans, Mrs. Lydia Null and Mrs. S. M. J. Craven.

The Southern California Roque Club will hold a tournament in this city on May 3. Crack players from Ontario, Pomona and Santa Ana will take part, among them Dr. Wood and Messrs. Strong, Hickman, Huxtable and Woodrow.

A Pacific Electric car jumped the track at Alamitos Bay this morning, and sank in about six inches of sand. No one was hurt and a wrecking crew after an hour's work restored the car to the track.

Rev. Robert J. Burdette will lecture at the Tabernacle Friday night under the auspices of the Epworth League.

Ex-City Marshal Thomas W. Williams has formed a partnership with T. C. Chapman and J. C. McMillan in a real estate concern.

The Democrats will hold a primary election here Saturday to select four delegates to the Assembly convention, April 30.

A sale is announced whereby the Seaside Water Company, through James V. Baldwin, has conveyed 400 lots in the Seaside Park tract on the beach west of here to George B. Ellis, A. W. Ellington, James A. Keeney, James V. Baldwin, Fred Latimer, J. O. Downing, H. H. Duryea, R. M. Allen, Bernard Potter, E. S. Buttersworth and F. P. Bradley. The consideration named is $150,000.

CATALINA ISLAND.

TRAPDOOR-SPIDER MYSTERY.

AVALON, April 20.—Two years ago a little island boy dug up the home of a trapdoor spider and taking it to Hunt & Clark's curio store disposed of it for a few sheckels. The bunch of earth, and it was a fine natural specimen, was placed in a show case and had lain there neglected until yesterday afternoon, when Hunt happened to look at it and saw the trap door raised and a large, robust spider calmly viewing its surroundings. Knowing the history of the lumps of earth he was astounded and could scarcely believe it, but there sat Mr. Spider. The nest was placed on the sidewalk, a hole punched in the bottom and the occupant forced out. The spider was more than an inch long, with a paunch as fat as a Chicago Alderman's. It was a physical impossibility for it to have procured a morsel of food during this entire time, and how it has existed is a mystery.

PEBBLES ON THE BEACH.

David Budlong of Los Angeles and his bride, nee Miss Clementine Barroy, are spending their honeymoon at Catalina.

Hon. Alva Adams and wife, Mrs. John Adams and M. P. Thatcher, president of the First National Bank, with his wife, arrived at Hotel Metropole today for an indefinite stay. The gentlemen are both crack golf players and anglers and they propose to have things doing while here.

Mrs. M. L. Nissley of Pomona has been visiting the island for a week and today returns to her home accompanied by Mrs. N. B. Stanton, who will spend a few weeks with her.

C. H. Lawrence and wife of Chicago, Miss Kate Lester, Miss Carol James and Thomas A. Wise of New York are at the Grand View.

Robert N. Shaw of the Shaw-Torrey Advertising Company, Limited, of Grand Rapids, Mich., has been visiting Catalina for some days, a guest at the Glenmore Hotel.

ALHAMBRA.

TRUSTEES ORGANIZE.

ALHAMBRA, April 20.—The old Board of City Trustees met Monday evening and canvassed the vote cast at the late city election, the result being as heretofore published. The old officers vacated their places, but were immediately sworn in again and received certificates of election, all of them having been reelected. To determine terms for the Trustees, lots were drawn, resulting in the selection of N. W. Thompson and S. F. Wuest for the four-year term and E. E. Bailey, R. F. Bishop and A. C. Weeks for the two-year term. At the regular meeting of the board on Tuesday evening an ordinance for the improvement of Main street was passed.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Howard L. Winsor is at work on the school census, with prospects for showing a desirable increase in the number of school children and sufficient increase of school money for another teacher, which is needed.

The Alhambra Masonic Temple Association have completed the purchase of the Stimson brick block at the corner of Main and First streets and the work of remodeling the same will commence at once.

Mrs. W. M. Northrup, president of the Wednesday Afternoon Club, has been elected one of the directors of the Woman's Parliament, and Mrs. W. O. Stevens was elected by the club as delegate to the parliament, which meets at Pomona on the 28th and 29th of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Strong of Bonnie Brae street, Los Angeles, came out Monday to look at their lots on South First street, upon which they contemplate building a residence shortly.

POMONA.

WATER RATES RAISED.

POMONA, April 20.—The City Trustees last night raised the water rates. Trustee Douglass introduced the ordinance. Trustee Miller objected, taking exception to the figures furnished by the water company showing the amount of their business and there was lively talk. Messrs. Brady and Lathrop being present for the Consolidated Water Company. The ordinance was finally voted, and ordered referred to the City Attorney for the usual time.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

J. Wesley Day has bought of O. Sweet the brick building on Second street, occupied by Pomeroy's "toggery." The price paid was $7000. Mr. Day will improve the building.

Mrs. Elmer E. Armour spent today at San Pedro visiting her son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Shaw left for their home in Burlington, Vt., last night. Owing to the poor health of Mr. Shaw, they were accompanied by Miss McBride, a trained nurse.

Frank O. Passmore, formerly a resident here, where he married Miss Jessie Padgham, daughter of Hr. and Mrs. E. A. Padgham, died at his home at Hamilton, Ont., yesterday.

SAN PEDRO.

SAILOR CRUSHED TO DEATH.

SAN PEDRO, April 20.—Christian Kristophersen, aged 23, a Norwegian sailor employed on board the barkentine John C. Meyer, met death in a frightful manner this morning.

He was in the hold of the ship, assisting to discharge the vessel, when a wing tier of lumber fell upon and mangled him almost beyond recognition. A doctor was quickly summoned, but Kristophersen only lived a few minutes after the accident.

MORNING WEDDING.

Leslie Ray Holland and Miss Ethel Loomis, prominent young people of this city, were married at 8 o'clock this morning at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. E. B. Scott. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Tally C. Knowles of the University of Southern California. The newly-married couple have gone to Northern California to be absent several weeks. Upon their return they will be at home to their friends at the corner of First and Santa Cruz streets.

Rev. George A. Wolfe and wife, who have been connected with the Peneli Mission here for four or five years, will leave during the week for Bakersfield. S. Kerr and wife of San Bernardino will succeed Rev. Wolfe and will continue the mission work here.

OCEAN PARK.

POWELL BUCKING CITY.

OCEAN PARK, April 20.—Since the Santa Monica City Trustees decided to open Pier avenue through to Lake street on the east, C. L. Powell (who owns property 25x200 feet that is needed for the street) has commenced to build a house on land that has always been idle. Condemnation proceedings will be brought before he can build more than a shack.

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GETS A CLUB FOR A CARD.

Disaster for Genius Who'd See Mrs. Fiske.

Old Acquaintanceship Isn't Happily Renewed.

Sore Head and Jail Instead of an Interview.

The desire of Lawrence Russell, "playwright," as he styles himself, to see Mrs. Fiske and renew an acquaintanceship begun in Louisville, Ky., years ago, when the actress was plain little Minnie Maddern, caused a "rough house" in the lobby of the Grand Operahouse last night during the performance, and landed Russell behind the bars at the Police Station.

Russell says he is the author of "A Millionaire Tramp," and other "productions," and that he is interested in "A Wise Woman," which will begin an engagement at the Grand tonight.

According to Russell's story, he sent his card around to Mrs. Fiske just before the matinee opened yesterday afternoon, but was not accorded the privilege of an interview. Instead Mr. Stevens, a nephew of Mrs. Fiske, came out and told him his attempt was impertinent.

Russell did not like the tone used by Stevens, and after brooding over it for awhile, he decided to go back and find out why he had been so coldly and cruelly treated. It was during the evening performance when this decision was reached. Calling Stevens out in the lobby, an explanation was demanded. Officer Smith was called in to settle the dispute which arose and Russell was ejected from the building. On the sidewalk a fight between Russell and the patrolman took place, in which the latter used his club. Russell was taken to the station in a dilapidated condition. Later he was bailed out by friends.

Russell had been drinking, but denied he was drunk. He says the entire trouble was due to the haughtiness of Stevens. Russell feels certain that had Mrs. Fiske received his card she would have accorded him the privilege of an interview.

TROPICO.

LITTLE LOCALS.

TROPICO, April 20.—The Valley Prohibition Alliance held a large and enthusiastic meeting at G.A.R. Hall. O. T. Nichols of Pasadena delivered the address of the evening. The Maple Quartette furnished several musical numbers.

F. C. Richardson of Santa Paula is building a handsome villa on the Vine Cottage tract at Central avenue and Cypress street.

F. C. Brigham of Long Beach has purchased a two-acre block in the Riverdale tract, and will build a residence.

SANTA MONICA.

HAS SON AT THE FRONT.

SANTA MONICA, April 20.—One of the men at the front in the Russo-Japanese War is the son of a Santa Monica physician. Robert M. Collins, the war correspondent in the service of Reuter's News Agency of London and of Collier's Weekly, is a son of Dr. W. T. Collins of North Fifth street.

At the breaking out of the Spanish-American War Mr. Collins was in London in the employ of the Associated Press and upon being cabled from headquarters in New York City to learn when he could go to Manila, gave the one word reply, "tonight." There being a vessel out that night Mr. Collins occupied a state room on it. On the islands he was right on the firing line with Gen. Lawton, accompanied him on his last ride and probably spoke to that gallant soldier the last words he comprehended. While Gen. Lawton was in an exposed position Collins observed a native aiming at him. Collins spoke to Lawton about it, but the warning was not heeded and the brave officer fell. Collins made his way to a telegraph station and cabled the news.

Collins accompanied the allied forces at the time of the Boxer troubles in China. He was beside Col. Liscum of the old Ninth when that leader fell and that regiment was fiercely assaulted at the outer walls of Tientsin. Wallowing through swamps to a cable station, Collins put on the wire the story that stirred the world. The story cabled that night from Tientsin was short, but it was vivid and accurate, for Collins had left the field only a few hours before his dispatch in print, had startled both hemispheres.

SEASIDE WHIFFS.

Jean Kinsen, a helper at the Café Royal on Arcadia beach, was taken in charge this morning by the officers. He had been acting queerly for several months and it was thought he is insane. He is about 24 years of age and came from the East six months ago.

Lambke Bros., one private secretary to Frederick H. Rindge and the other a practical poultry man from Seattle, will establish a poultry ranch here.

William Conkling was arrested for disturbing the peace and upon being found guilty was fined $15 by City Recorder Guidinger today.

Robert C. Jenkins has purchased a lot on Eighth street near Arizona and is building a $2500 residence to be occupied by his family.

CLAREMONT.

STREET IMPROVEMENT.

CLAREMONT, April 20.—Supervisor I. F. Wire is putting through additional street improvements in Claremont. College avenue has been opened to the south to Cucamonga avenue. A large gang of men are at work leveling and grading and soon the wide avenue will be ready for general travel. Two rows of orange trees have been rooted out to give the avenue a straight course.

WELL-KNOWN EDUCATOR.

Dr. Joseph R. Harker, one of the foremost educational leaders of Illinois, and president of the Illinois Woman's College, is visiting Prof. M. E. Churchill for a few days. Dr. Harker is an advance delegate to the General Methodist Conference to be held in Los Angeles next month.

If You Want to go East C. Haydock, Agent Illinois Central R.R. 212 South Spring.

High-class Carriage Repairing. Painting, trimming, Handsomest; for rubber tires. Parrot Carriage Mfg. Co., 10th & Main.

PROCRASTINATION, the oft-convicted, but never punished, "thief of time," will make a good haul at your expense if you delay much longer the insertion of that want ad. in The Times. Rate, 1 cent a word.

THERE is nothing you can buy in this city that costs so little in proportion to its value as want ad. space in The Times.

See Althouse Bros. for modern homes.

If your hands become hard and chapped from frequent washings, examine carefully the soap you use. A cheap toilet soap, you will find, is greasy, harsh and does not rinse easily. Ivory Soap makes a profuse lather that removes the dirt and yet rinses readily. The natural oil of the skin is not removed and the skin is left soft and smooth.

Ivory Soap is 99 44/100 Per Cent. Pure.

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision for over 30 years. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments, and endanger the health of Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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A HINT TO WOMEN

Who are sickly and nervous, all run down and in need of a tonic, try a few doses of this twentieth century family remedy and notice the wonderful improvement in your general health. For over fifty years the famous

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters

has been the standby of thousands of delicate women, who take it to the exclusion of all other remedies. It restores functional regularity without fail and cures

Vomiting, Bloating, Nervous or Sick Headache Indigestion, Dyspepsia and Costiveness.

We hope you'll try a bottle at once. It will do you good

Pay When Cured

This is Dr. McLaughlin's offer to weak men, rheumatics, dyspeptics, men with lame backs, weak kidneys, lost vitality, varicocele, wasting of vital strength, sciatica, constipation, "come and go" pains, and to women with the weaknesses peculiar to their sex.

Give me a man broken down from overwork or dissipation—one who has lost the very essence of health—and I will make him feel like a youth of 20 within a month. How? you ask. Simply by pumping a vital stream of electricity into his body in the right way while he sleeps.

DR. McLAUGHLIN'S ELECTRIC BELT

Does wonders in a few applications. It arouses all the dormant energies, develops muscular and nerve life, and restores the feeling of youth, courage and vigor. It makes men over again. It makes perfect men of the puniest, weakest specimens of "half men."

ANY MAN OR WOMAN WHO WILL SECURE ME CAN HAVE MY APPLIANCE AND PAY WHEN CURED. I ask no pay in advance.

Are you sick? Are you in pain? Are you a Weak Man? Are you tired of doctoring and paying out money without result? Then come to me or write to me. I AM THE ONLY MAN IN THE WORLD WHO HAS CONFIDENCE ENOUGH IN HIS REMEDY TO WAIT FOR HIS PAY UNTIL YOU ARE CURED.

I give a free test to all who call. If you can't call I will send you my beautiful illustrated book with full information free. Call or write now. Don't delay.

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SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE
Hamburger's
127 to 147 N. SPRING ST. LOS ANGELES

Women's $1.25 and $1.50 Kid Gloves at pair 75c

A lot of 2800 pairs, two clasp, kid gloves, black, white, and all wanted shades of popular colors, will be specially featured for Thursday's selling; they are made with three rows embroidery on back; every pair is warranted, and they are actual $1.25 and $1.50 values. No mail or phone orders; per pair..... 75c

SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE
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April Sale Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes

Shoes for All Los Angeles at From One-Fourth to One-Third Below Regular Prices.

This is not a grouping of odd lots in small assortments or old shop-worn shoes but an enormous quantity of ten thousand pairs recently purchased by our Mr. Snodgrass from the Eastern factories direct and represents the best of their surplus stocks on hand after filling spring and summer orders. The prices in some cases are but little more than the cost of material and making and there is not a shoe in the lot that is not worth more than one-fourth to one-third more than our sale prices and by no possibility could they be duplicated at any other house in Los Angeles. The sale begins Thursday and there are so many shapes of lasts that we can fit every foot and such variety as to please every fancy. You will be serving your own interest to purchase an entire summer supply of shoes for not only yourself but your entire family. This immense lot will be featured in both our main floor and basement shoe departments.

Foster & Co's Women's Shoes—the regular $5.00 and $6.00 grades; are of Vici kid or patent leather; either welt extension or light turned soles with military, opera or Louis XV heels; all in newest shapes, lasts and all sizes. Sale price.. $3.65

Women's Fine Patent Kid Boots—welted soles; military heels; dull mat kid tops; are in Blucher style and very dressy for street wear; are in all sizes and widths. Sale price..... $3.95

Women's $5.00 Patent Kid Shoes—button style only; made with welt extension soles; dull kid tops with buttons to match. These are the latest in button shoes; have military concave heels; are in all sizes. Sale price..... $2.50

Women's $4.00 and $5.00 Shoes—a sample line in the newest shapes; are of finest Vici kid and patent leathers; are in sizes 3 to 4½ and in A and B widths only. Sale price, choice.. $2.95

Women's $3.50 Vici Kid Shoes—a lot of 1400 pairs; lace and button styles; made with Goodyear welt soles; patent or kid tips; military, opera or common sense heels; all sizes. Sale price..... $2.95

Women's $4.00 Patent Kid Shoes—hand turned soles; are in lace style; have Louis XV heels; dull mat kid tops; and plain toes; all sizes. Sale price.. $2.95

Women's Kid Sandals—beaded or plain vamps; one or two straps with high Louis XV or low leather heels. They are in all shapes for house or dress wear and in all sizes and widths. Actual $3.00 values. Sale price..... $1.95

Fancy Sandals and Slippers—hand sewed soles; are of finest Vici kid or patent colt; have cut steel or black beads; 2, 3, and 4 or Roman cross straps; Louis XV heels; all sizes and widths. $3.50 values. Sale price..... $2.45

Women's Cushion "Comfort" Shoes—of soft Vici kid; plain toes; common sense heels; turned soles. A light weight and flexible shoe specially desirable for elderly women; all sizes; regular $3.50 values. Sale price..... $2.95

Men's $3.50 Shoes—for dress or business wear and are in patent colt, Vici kid or Velour calf. The patent colt are Blucher style. All have Goodyear welt soles and are in new lasts and all sizes. Sale price $2.95

MAIN FLOOR.

Women's $3.50 Shoes—Vici kid or patent kid; flexible turned or welt soles; military or leather Louis XV heels; plain toes or patent tips; all new comfortable lasts in a good range of sizes. Sale price..... $2.95

Women's $3.00 Vici Kid Shoes—lace style; new shapes; have light flexible soles; patent or kid tips; military heels and are in all sizes. Sale price..... $2.45

Women's $2.50 Vici Kid Shoes—lace style only; patent or kid tips; military heels; neat comfortable lasts in wide widths only. Sale price. $1.65

Women's $2.00 Kid Shoes—lace style; have patent tips; low military heels; are in all sizes and are very serviceable for ordinary wear. Sale price..... $1.45

Women's $2.00 Vici Kid Oxfords—light flexible soles; patent tips; concave heels; all sizes. Sale price..... $1.45

Misses' $2.00 School Shoes—of Dongola and kangaroo calf in button style; have spring heels; are in sizes 12½ to 2, and in shapely comfortable lasts. Sale price..... $1.15

Children's $1.25 Vici Kid Shoes—turned soles; patent tips; spring heels; either lace or button style; sizes 6 to 8. Sale price..... 75c

Boys' and Girls' School Shoes—either strong satin calf or Vici kid; the boys' in sizes 10 to 2; the girls' 11½ to 2; all new comfortable lasts and well made; and are $1.75 values. Sale price..... $1.25

Children's $1.25 Kid Shoes—lace or button style; patent tips; spring heels; are well made and very serviceable; are in sizes 8½ to 11. Sale price..... 95c

BASEMENT.

Semi-Annual Sale of Knit Underwear

This is an all-week event, and new lots are placed on sale daily. It is to your best advantage to purchase your entire supply of summer wearables now, for we can save you at least one-third over what others would charge.

Women's Sleeveless Vests—white only; silk taped neck and arms; regular 15c values, sale price..... 12½

Women's Lace Lisle Vests—pink, blue and white; also plain white vests with pink and blue lace yokes; all have silk taped neck and arms; regular 25c values; sale price, 3 for..... 50c

Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests—white, pink or blue; are made with entirely plain yoke, have hand finished neck and arms; regular 30c values; sale price..... 25c

Women's All-over Lace Lisle Vests—of a fine finish, lisle thread, and are in pink, blue and white, with silk finish neck and arms; regular 50c values; sale price, 3 for..... $1.00

Women's Lisle Union Suits—Jersey ribbed, are pure white; all made low neck and sleeveless, and have lace trimmed knee; regular 75c values; sale price..... 39c

Women's Jersey Ribbed Vests—high neck, long sleeves, are in white, pink or blue, have knee pants and lace trimmed yoke to match; regular 75c and 85c values; sale price..... 50c

Women's Silk Finish Union Suits—low neck, sleeveless style, with hand finished neck and arms, and have lace trimmed knee; regular $1.50 values; sale price..... $1.00

Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests—pink or white, made with heavy crochet yokes, finished with silk ribbons at neck and sleeveless arms; regular $1.00 values; sale price..... 75c

Silk Sale Continued

The success of this sale has been beyond our expectations though naturally any firm would do a large business when such worthy silks were offered at such little prices. Considering the serviceability of silks, a dress or number of waists are not more expensive than woolen garments where the yardage goods was purchased under regular conditions.

Mill Ends Taffeta—about 200 of these mill lengths of 3 to 10 yards each; suitable for linings, drops and foundations; are in the wanted light and dark colorings; as also cream and black. Are the best guaranteed Taffeta made; 19 inches wide. Sale price 59c

22-inch Black Peau de Soie—soft mellow weave; rich satin finished face with pure silk back; heavy and firm. Every yard guaranteed for satisfactory wear. A good $1.00 value priced per yd.. 75c

36-inch Black Taffeta—lustrous finish; pure silk; specially serviceable for drops and linings; is the rustling kind and will not split; worth $1.00. Sale price per yard..... 75c

21-inch Cream Taffeta—also Palette de Soie, two of the most popular cream silks of the season. The Taffeta is Messaline finished. Good values at $1.00. Sale price per yard..... 75c

20-inch Black Peau de Soie—a very soft fine quality that will neither split nor cut; is satin finished and pure silk. Excellent for coats and suits. A $1.25 value at per yard..... 95c

Fancy Silks—an assortment of $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 weaves; about 5000 yards in street and evening shades; patterns, checks, fancy overshot effects and polkadots. Also cream grounds with satin and woven stripes. Moires in stripes, checks and plaids; Louisenes with woven figures and others; are 19 to 21 inches wide. Sale price per yard..... 68c

19-inch Cream Messaline Taffeta—a 75c grade; soft light weight with the new Messaline finish. Specially desirable for waists, evening gowns and shirt waist suits. Sale price per yard..... 50c

20-inch Corded Striped Black Armure Silks—heavy weave with cords in stripes of different width; is a reversible silk and will stand all kinds of rough wear; a 75c value. Sale price per yard..... 50c

36-inch Shirt Waist Suit Silks—blue, red, black and purple grounds with small woven polkadots and figures, overshot effects and small jacquard figures. They are a Taffeta weave and good values at $1.50. Sale price per yard..... $1.00

19-inch Black Taffeta—all silk, specially serviceable for drops and linings; is crisp finished and rustles. A 65c value. Sale price per yard..... 39c

21-inch Black Taffeta—heavy yet crisp brilliant finish; will neither split nor cut; is the kind that rustles and is much wanted for drops and linings. Sale price per yard..... 58c

23-inch Black Peau de Cygnes—and Messalines—two of the most popular black silk weaves; the Messaline one of the newest and has a beautiful sheen and is much worn this season. Made to sell at $1.25 and $1.39. Sale price per yard..... $1.00

What We Save You on Price of House Furnishings

Goes a Long Way Towards Paying for Your Home

House cleaning time calls for expenditures for a number of articles and the store that gives you a chance to save on the purchase price is the one that will get your patronage. Many of you are possibly paying for your home and our suggestion that to buy the furnishings here permits you to make just such savings is borne out by actual experience for if you will compare our prices with those of others, you will see that we serve you best.

White Iron Beds—nicely enameled; are in all sizes; have scroll head and foot. Specially priced at $2.50

Sample Line Iron Beds—white enamel; some have high scroll head and deep extension foot; all steel chills and patent side attachments; are superior to the old style dove-tail; actual $10.00 and $12.50 values. Specially priced at each..... $7.50

Soft Top Mattress—a lot of 100 in all wanted sizes; have deep box border; are closely tufted and covered with striped ticking. Price..... $2.50

Extra Fine Mattresses—A lot of 25 best grade Duplex felt in combination with three layers of hair and cotton felt; also antiseptic duplex mattresses guaranteed vermin proof; are covered with best grade of ticking and are worth $10.00 to $15.00. For Thursday, no mail or telephone orders, each..... $7.95

Folding Canvas Cots—Cross legs; are full length; are covered with soft mattress and are worth regularly $3.75. Specially priced..... $2.00

All Steel Springs—covered with heavy woven wire top; extra steel spring supports; iron bands running under the entire spring; side and end rail; all steel. Price reduced from $4.50 to... $2.95

Fine Velour Couches—high rolling head; fluted on side; has spring seat and head and turned legs with castors. Worth regularly $7.50. Specially priced... $4.75

BASEMENT.

9x11½ ft. Velvet Rug—a rug guaranteed for hard wear and will give more satisfaction than any rug of its kind; is suitable for any room and worth regularly $25.00. Specially priced... $20

7½x10½ ft. Axminster Rugs—Smith & Son's make; contain 14 yards of carpet which by the yard is worth $10.00, and the rug 9 inches wider would be worth $22.50. Our special price..... $10

Pro Brussells Rugs—9x12 ft., are the heaviest grade wool ingrain; are serviceable for any room and are of good wearing quality. Sold regularly at $12.00. Specially priced..... $9.95

All Wool Art Squares—9x12 feet; are strictly all wool, both filling and warp. The patterns are reversible. Sold by others at $8.50. Our price..... $6.95

Swiss Muslin Curtains—plain white; have two rows of tucks and deep ruffle; really worth $1.00 a pair. Specially priced.. 69c

Nottingham Lace Curtains—choice designs; all have button holed edges; are serviceable for bedrooms or beach cottages. Would be cheap at 50c. Specially priced, pr. 39c

Scotch Lace Curtains—Renaissance and Cluny effects; are of double twisted thread in shaded patterns; are 3½ yards long by 50 inches wide, and worth regularly $3.00. Specially priced, per pair..... $1.75

Real Brussels Lace Curtains—light, airy designs; have fine imported lace back and are very choice for parlor uses. Values up to $7.50. Specially priced, per pr. $4.95

5-piece toilet set—blue decorations; set consists of wash bowl and pitcher, chamber and soapdish, a $2.25 value; special $1.49

Dinner knives and forks—set of six, bright burnished, silver plated Special per set $1.75

Boiled Combinettes—plain white, prettily embossed; are of semi-vitreous porcelain, warranted not to craze; complete..... $1.19

50 inch Tapestry—for drapes and furniture covering; choice colorings and 60c value priced at per yard..... 39c

Imported India Curtains—fine effects for beach cottages and for making cosy corners; worth regularly $2.00. Specially priced per pair..... $1.00

Ottoman Rep Portieres—eight colorings and designs; some have corded edges; others deep over throw fringe; the tops with handsome designs worked on both sides. $6 values specially priced per pair.... $3.69

$3.00 Couch Covers—Oriental and Bagdad stripes; perfectly reversible; have deep hand made fringe all around; worth $2. Specially priced at each..... $1.45

56 piece Cottage Set—semi-porcelain; medium weight; green flower decorations; nicely embossed; glazing warranted not to craze; price..... $5.98

100 piece Dinner Set—Royal English semi-porcelain; set gold traced, and embossed; decorations in rich Royal blue; flower design; price..... $11.98

9x12 ft. Tapestry Brussels Rug—extra heavy; are the newest colors and patterns; are the best make; worth $18.00. Specially priced..... $13.95

9x12 ft. Tapestry Brussels Rug—high grade; no better made; are spring colorings and patterns and wear equal to the best Brussels. Worth regularly $20.00. Specially priced..... $16.00

Choicest Smyrna Rugs—Reproductions of finest Orientals and give the same effect when on the floor; are both sides finished alike. Prices as follows—
$12.50 7½x10½ ft. rug at $7.95.
$20.00 9x12 ft. rug at $14.50.

One Piece Wilton Rug—9x12 ft; are the most serviceable, no ripping or mismatching and they are the same that other stores sell at $40.00. Our price..... $30.00

70c Tea Kettle at 49c

A Royal steel enamelled ware tea kettle, of four sizes; all of them perfect; have enameled covers and flat bottoms, and are worth to 70c; special for Thursday only; no mail or 'phone orders..... 49c

PURITAN OIL STOVES—stand 9½ inches high, have nickle trimmings, and are guaranteed smokeless; worth $1.00; special..... 69c

MEDIUM SIZED OVEN—sheet steel; has removable shelves; is well ventilated; is $1.65 value. Special..... $1.19

"NOVELTY" CLOTHES WRINGER—12 inch; warranted three years; special $3.69.

Waffle iron—will fit No. 7 or 8 stove; price 79c.

Wash tubs, heavy galvanized iron; choice of sizes; price 59c.

6-arm towel rack, 19 in. long; the folding kind. 19c.

Wash boards—choice of glass or zinc—worth special, 20c.

FOURTH FLOOR.

$3 Chenille Portieres per pr. $1.50

Just 500 pairs of Chenille Portieres in colorings of old rose, olive, light blue, terra cotta, Dresden blue, salmon, golden brown; grass and emerald green; also tan. They have fancy borders; are 3 yards long x 36 inches wide and are finished with an 8 inch fringe. They are equal to any $3.00 portier ever offered. They will be priced on bargain table third floor Thursday only, no mail or telephone orders, at per pair..... $1.50

THIRD FLOOR

Photo Supplies and Stationery

We have the only cut rate printing and developing department in Los Angeles and as to photo supplies we handle more grades and makes than any other two stores in the city and full line of all the popular cameras and kodaks.

Eastman's Kodaks and Supplies at Cut Prices.

4x5-inch piano-hinge printing frame, special 14c.

100 negative preservers, 5x7-inch, 40c.

100 negative preservers, 4x5-inch, 30c.

Regular 75c tripod special 49c.

4x5-inch Stanley plates per dozen 45c.

4x5-inch Cramer plates per dozen 57c.

3¼x4¼-inch films per dozen 65c.

2½x4¼-inch films per dozen 45c.

2½x3¼-inch films per dozen 35c.

$7.50 developing machines at $6.50.

Unmounted California Views—the kind that others sell at 10c. Our price..... 5c

Box Stationery—60 sheets and 60 envelopes good quality paper; four tints; regular price 35c. Special per box..... 25c

Box Stationery—24 sheets and 24 envelopes either white or tints; ruled or plain; regular price 10c. Special..... 7c

Counter Order Books—Canvas covers; 100 ruled pages; size 12x7½ inches; regular price 12c. Special..... 7c

Steamboat Playing Cards—the kind that sell everywhere at 10c. Specially priced at..... 8c

Globes of the World—an excellent way to teach children geography. Each one is on wire stand and absolutely correct; regular price 50c. Special..... 39c

Specials In Hair Goods

$1.50 hair switches—all shades of brown, blonde, and drab, are 20 in. long; special.. 98c

$2.50 hair switches; are all shades of brown, blonde and drab; are 22 inches long, special..... $1.49

$4.00 hair switches, all shades of brown, blonde, and drab, 24 in. long, special.. $1.98

Janes in all shades of brown and blonde, (no gray), price..... $2.50

Pompadour Rolls at 25c
Gray Janes up from $3.50

FOURTH FLOOR

The Hamburger Store